

OAK

1966



Kaye,  
 I had to say after  
 your years. Except  
 saying that it is been  
 a lot of fun knowing a  
 wonderful girl. After some  
 we are prepared for any thing, and  
 keep your chin up - and have fun!  
 Love  
 Dad  
 66

Kaye,  
 With a combination  
 of Church Choir and  
 School I think you and I  
 can agree that we've sung  
 enough this year. This year  
 has been the greatest especially  
 the Senior trip and your orange  
 (bright) Sweet Shirt  
 Good luck next year "66"  
 Mary Faith

Kaye,  
 I have had  
 that year to come back  
 many many times  
 we know that  
 the things we  
 love are  
 still there.  
 Love  
 Dad  
 66

Kaye -  
 I didn't  
 get to know you  
 very well but it  
 was great of what  
 I knew of you (???)  
 Had some fun times in  
 Mac's class at the piano.  
 Good luck at Easter  
 Dad Bless  
 Sue Smith '68"

Kaye,  
 you are really a  
 sweet kid. I will never  
 forget that goofie moment you  
 desire. Be the best of luck  
 receive. Best of luck and Dad  
 after graduation. Be good and I hope  
 to see you after  
 school is out.  
 R.M.H.  
 Dad  
 Edwards  
 "66"

Kaye,  
 It is wonderful  
 to think what the  
 presence of one human  
 being can do for another -  
 change everything in the  
 world. (George M. Adams)  
 I can't imagine what  
 the years would have been without  
 you. Best of everything in the  
 coming years - and don't  
 completely forget me.  
 Dad Bless and  
 Keep you  
 Chris  
 7000



Thank you for  
 all the good  
 paper & ever stay  
 would be if it weren't  
 aware your package of chocolate?  
 you many many thanks for hiding  
 many in Hoffman's texture -  
 Best of luck -  
 Mary  
 '65

Is Hays.

large. I wish I was leaving  
 with you but I have the  
 more year. And it's gonna  
 be with Mae. I don't know  
 if I can take it. I've had  
 a lot of fun in choir even if  
 it was a bore once in awhile.  
 Good luck in the world.  
 Be good and May God Bless you always

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Please  
 I will give you  
 the best of my  
 love & money  
 always together  
 I'm sure I can  
 make you happy  
 and your good  
 future

Kaye,  
We've had fun  
in H.R. and through  
the year. You've  
always been good  
to me and I thank  
you. I know you  
going to college so  
good luck and stay in  
touch. Love, Dave.  
"66"



We are all  
 here  
 after  
 Kaye  
 to you for six years  
 as know what to say, but  
 we've been great fun - parties  
 and yet we've stayed friends. And  
 next few years told me I was  
 will happen in life we'll be  
 you are best in all that you do.  
 Had when you. Dave Hardinburg  
 '66

Kaye,  
 We've had some  
 good times together.  
 Good year in school  
 half of this year in  
 doc. Best of luck in  
 all you do.  
 Beth Golen  
 '66

I hope you are  
 well and happy.  
 Love,  
 Kaye

I hope you are  
 well and happy.  
 Love,  
 Kaye



Kaye-

Well its almost  
through only a couple  
more days.

It has been a lot  
of fun in school this  
past year.

You have a  
personality that will  
take you where you  
want.

May you always  
find happiness.

As Always

Ramona  
"66"

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Because the Seniors of 1966 represent the 100th class to graduate from a Royal Oak High School, the theme of this OAK portrays the unique and universal features of high school life over the past classes. No better symbol can be found to represent the continuity of this and past graduating classes than the murals on the auditorium wall. They were painted by Maglia, an Italian boy in 1937 as part of WPA (Works Project Administration). The mural at far left depicts the origin of Detroit and thus the beginning of education here. The various opportunities open to graduates are represented in the middle. The mural at right shows the Fine Arts and the value of a Liberal Arts education.

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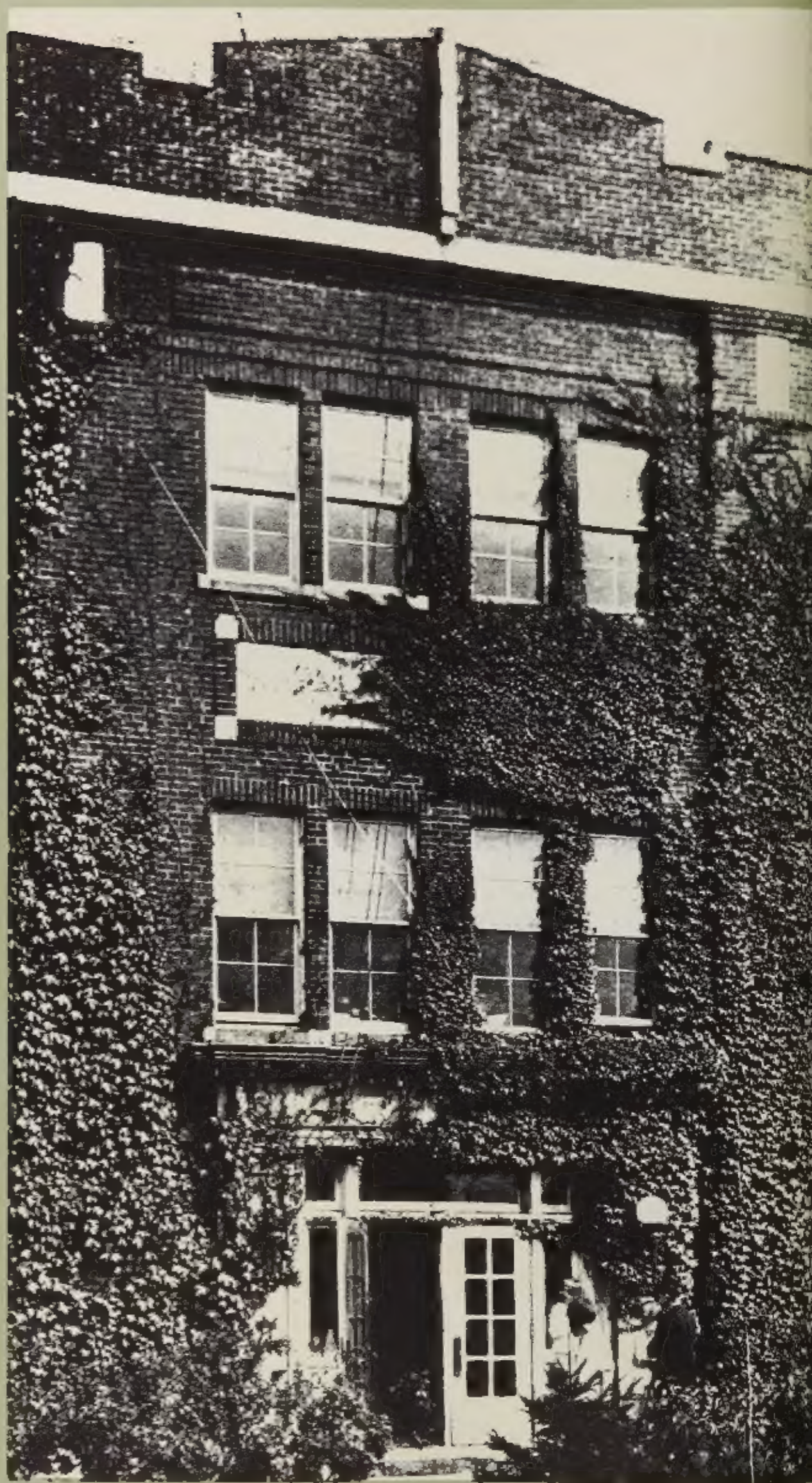
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*San Sara Hall, line sketch, was used for public meetings and entertainment after it was abandoned by the school. Union School, far right, stood at the present site of Washington Elementary. Between 1910 and 1920 population increased 500%, so Clara Barton, right, was erected.*





# From Humble Beginnings Dondero Arose

The story of Dondero began in 1868 with one of the earliest schools built in Royal Oak. A two story frame building, it stood on Williams between Fourth and Fifth Streets. In 1902 it ceased to be used as a school and became "San Sara Hall", later known as the "Masonic Temple".

In that year Union School was built on the corner of Lincoln and Washington at the cost of \$12,000. It stood until 1924, "frequently visited in its last years by the Royal Oak fire engines . . . finally torn down for the elevation of a new grade school (Washington)".

Between 1910 and 1920 the population of the town of Royal Oak increased 500 per cent. So the first unit of the "old school on Main Street" was built in 1913 at the cost of \$52,000. By 1915 a second unit had to be erected, making room for nine hundred more students. Today it is known as Clara Barton Junior High School.









# Where Is Royal Oak's "Central High"?



"The Castle" was the name given to the new high school in 1927. All the newest books and equipment were used. The custodians even cleaned these rooms before any other schools. In the beginning it was also referred to as "Royal Oak's new million dollar high school."

In 1955, plans were being made for another large high school. The problems of names arose. The school board was to select them. Most expected Royal Oak Central for the old high school and Royal Oak Northern for the new. Everyone was surprised when, departing from policy, they named the school for two living persons: George A. Dondero, the old high school, and Clarence M. Kimball, the new. No one expected the names to stick and at first there was much objection from students and alumni. They were indignant at the omission of "Royal Oak" from the old name. Petitions were distributed and a final decision was to be made by September 14th. Disturbed, the school board met September 1st. Attempting to compromise, they added "Royal Oak" to the names, thus became "Royal Oak George A. Dondero High School."



Framed by spring leaves, Dondero, at left, welcomes its students. Above, is a line drawing from a '31 book bearing the old name. At right is a recent snow shot of the nature building.





*The chart and pile of books represent Dondero's progress in education while the skeptical expression on the face of the student reflects a typical attitude.*



# Dondero Curriculum Fights Apathy

**If** you know little and  
You want to know less  
Go four years  
At R.O.H.S.

This is an attitude held by some Dondero students now, as it was in 1931 at the "Royal Oak High School". Dondero, by improved courses and better techniques, is striving to make education more stimulating.

The curriculum of ROHS has developed along with the buildings. Starting out with the basics: reading, writing, and 'rithmetic, it progressed to mainly academic courses. Then it began the introduction of the various shops for boys to go along with the already instituted home ec for girls. Gym has always been a requirement, but during World War I, the boys, dressed in their uniforms, used to drill for one hour each day instead.

Many of our languages have had an interesting history, with many struggles to keep alive.

Fifteen years ago there was some doubt as to whether it was profitable to teach foreign languages in high school. Latin, especially, received the brunt of this attack. It was a hard fight to keep it in the curriculum.

Arguing for its usefulness, Miss Ruth Hetzman, language teacher for 35 years, said: "Latin gives fine background for those who will go on to college, because it is hard, it, like mathematics, tells who can successfully do college work." She also felt that foreign languages and the sciences were the only challenge left to "unusual students". Two reasons Miss Hetzman proposed for Latin being fun instead of a chore are: it is voluntary and up-dated now.

German has also had a rough struggle for existence. It was a part of the curriculum of Royal Oak High School until November 11, 1918, when Armistice Day ended the first world war. The German class took their textbooks behind the school and burned them in a huge bonfire. The whole town joined in with the periodic snake dances from fire to town and back to the bonfire. It wasn't until thirty years later that German once again became part of the curriculum.





# Boxing Tomorrow's Compass

Just as a compass has 32 points so the 2800 students at Dondero have 2800 points. To make some sense out of these points, the Oak is going to box the points of Dondero's students much as a mariner would box the 32 compass points to define his position on the sea.

There are three main points which Donderotes look to in directing their academic lives. First is the point of further education. Second is the point of immediate vocation and thirdly there is the point of a full life, best found in participation in the fine arts

## 1

A recent study based on graduates of Royal Oak schools indicates that 64% of the graduates go on to further college education. The colleges vary geographically as wide as the United States, but most students will attend a school within the

tri-county area of Wayne, Oakland and Macomb

The college bound student may prepare himself by taking a college prep diploma which includes such courses as algebra and language. Although students usually try to take these courses and maintain a good average to be accepted by a college, it is also possible to go to college on a general diploma.

## 2

Those students looking for immediate employment will find opportunities for learning the necessary skills through the vocational courses offered at Dondero. There are actually two divisions of these courses, the business and skilled labor.

The business courses teach typing, shorthand, the operation of office and IBM machines and other related skills; while the skilled labor educates the student in the various shops such as

wood, metal, print and auto shop.

The student taking these courses will receive a general diploma upon graduation. They may also be offered jobs through Dondero's placement office. The goal of the vocational education department is to teach interested students a valuable skill.

## 3

"Man lives not by bread alone" is, in essence, the meaning of the third point. Life would be meaningless without an outside interest. To fill the cavity left after the work is done many students turn to the fine arts. The majority of students will not make a career of their interest, but will continue it as a hobby, some playing in community bands and orchestras, others participating in church choirs, while still others will paint or act during their leisure time.

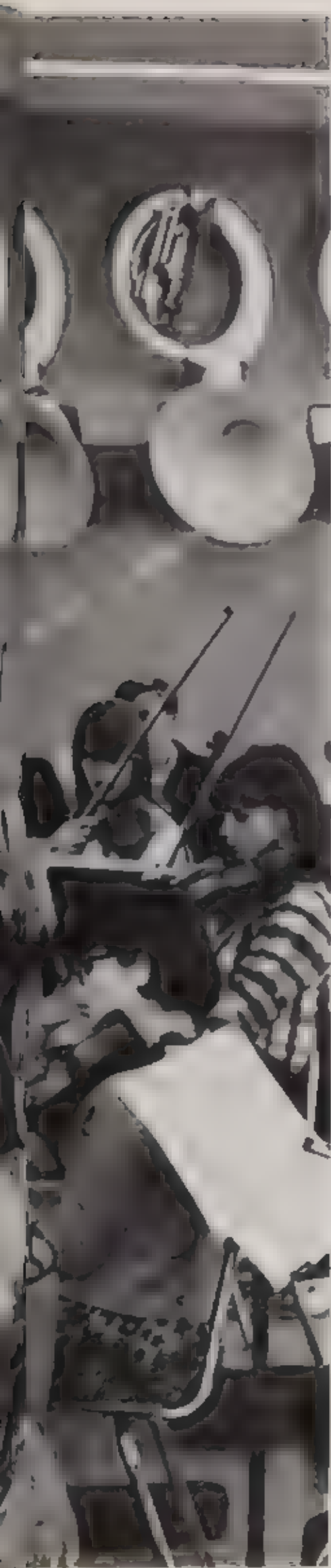


*Laura French*







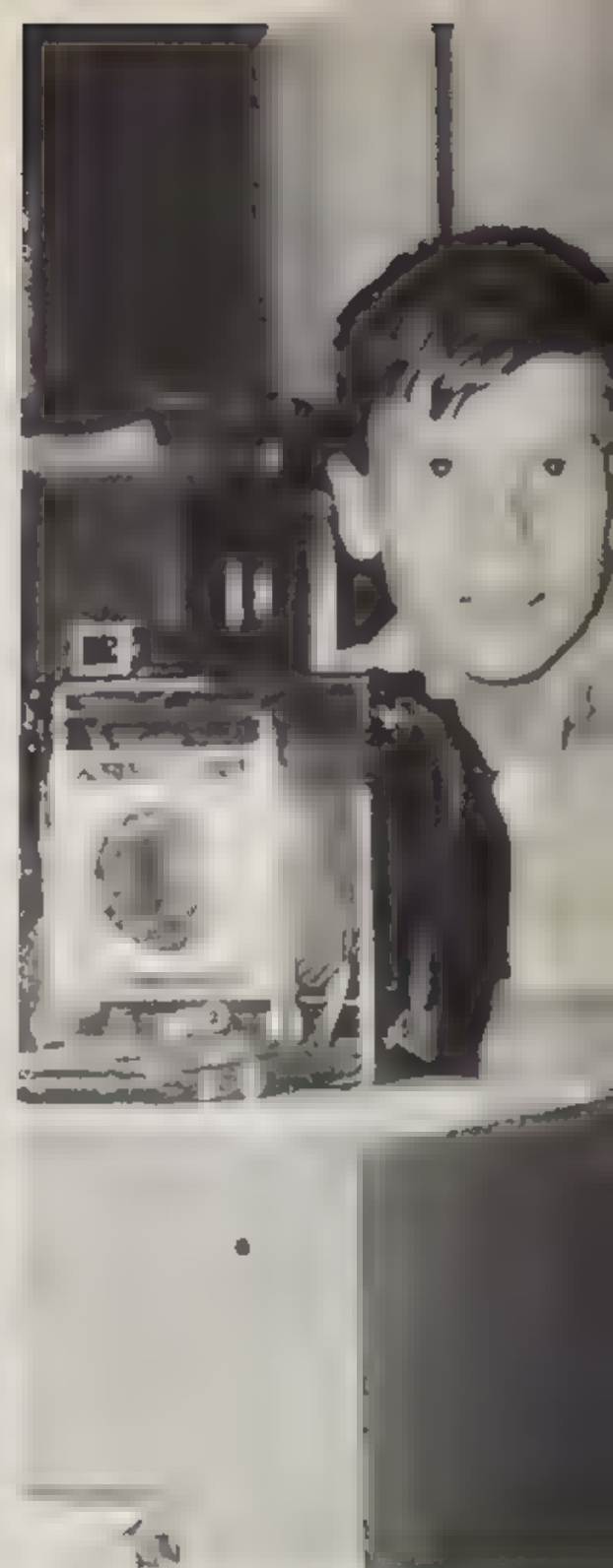


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## English Struggles Toward Perfection

"Every life is nature's attempt to make a perfect person.", could well be the theme of this year's English department. Some measure of the department's success is the award given it by the National Council Teachers of English for achievement in English instruction which was reflected by the success of Eric Bohman in winning college placement commendation from the NCTE. He was one of nineteen in the state to receive such commendation.

In an attempt to compensate for individual differences, the English department has introduced many new pilot courses.

Aptitude tests are given to eighth graders in order to "screen" them for high school English. If they show a high

ability for English they are put in the IH class. This will enable the best students from this class to skip their sophomore English and go directly into Junior English. Students with tests indicating a lower aptitude are put in IS where they progress more slowly and additional time can be spent on individual problems.

"The use of English seminars have been very successful this year.", said Mr. Robert Graham. A seminar consists of one student elected as the "teacher" for the hour. The student teacher will prepare a lesson and teach it to a class of ten students in the library conference rooms with a teacher to supervise. The seminars have dealt mainly with the humanities.





Bill Gross (far left) delivers his final speech to members of Miss Cowen's speech class. Bill Prete (left) discovers the relationship between the communication of a camera and English. (Above) Betty Margoes, Ken Schmier, and Kathy Bowers read selected editorials for their journalism class. (Below) Mellony Rosnick and Rand Sidonie lead a discussion in their Honors English class dealing with the humanities







Larry Johnson



Jean Wakefield



## Final Elections Spot Interest

Seniors find for the first time in their high school English career they are free to elect courses that follow their interest rather than follow the guide line of requirement.

The first three years of high school English are concerned with giving the student a "little of everything". Drama, novel, literature, speech and composition are studied, not extensively. A student, by the time he has reached the twelfth grade, has a good idea where his interests in English lie. As a Senior he may pick a semester course that will delve more deeply into that personal interest. One such course is World Literature. Students

who have enjoyed the study of literature of various periods of time in history may study at length world literature

The class examines writings from the classical, medieval, renaissance, enlightenment and modern age periods.

Included in the forms of literature studied are the epic, poetry, essay, short story, and the novel. Students taking the course write short analytical and interpretive papers

about their reading. The writings of Plato, Aristotle, Shakespeare, Rousseau, Melville

and Dostoevsky are some of the writers studied during the course.

An appealing course to many seniors at Dandera is the Novel. Students study the novel as a form of history, the structural and technical aspects of the novel, and the methods of characterizations used by authors. It is hoped, that by studying the novel students will gain in understanding how literature explores man's search for truth in relation to the individual, by reflecting the concerns and attitudes of the times. The student will develop his own values by being exposed to those expressed by others.

Students who enjoy expressing themselves through acting will find such an opportunity in the Drama course. The course itself is designed to give the student an appreciation of the drama. It is a course which requires work in reading, writing, and laboratory exercises in the actual physical properties of the theatre. Students have practice in areas of makeup, costuming, lighting and scene design. Plays are presented before the class by its members, gaining confidence in voice, movement and interpretation. The objectives of drama is to arouse interest and appreciation in good theatre among high school students by studying themes in dramatic literature, current theatre trends, history of the theatre, various art forms and psychology of great dramatic characters. Knowledge of the theatre will develop a broader cultural background in the high school student.



Marc Crandal and Pat Finn

"C'est jolie"

"Buenos dias"

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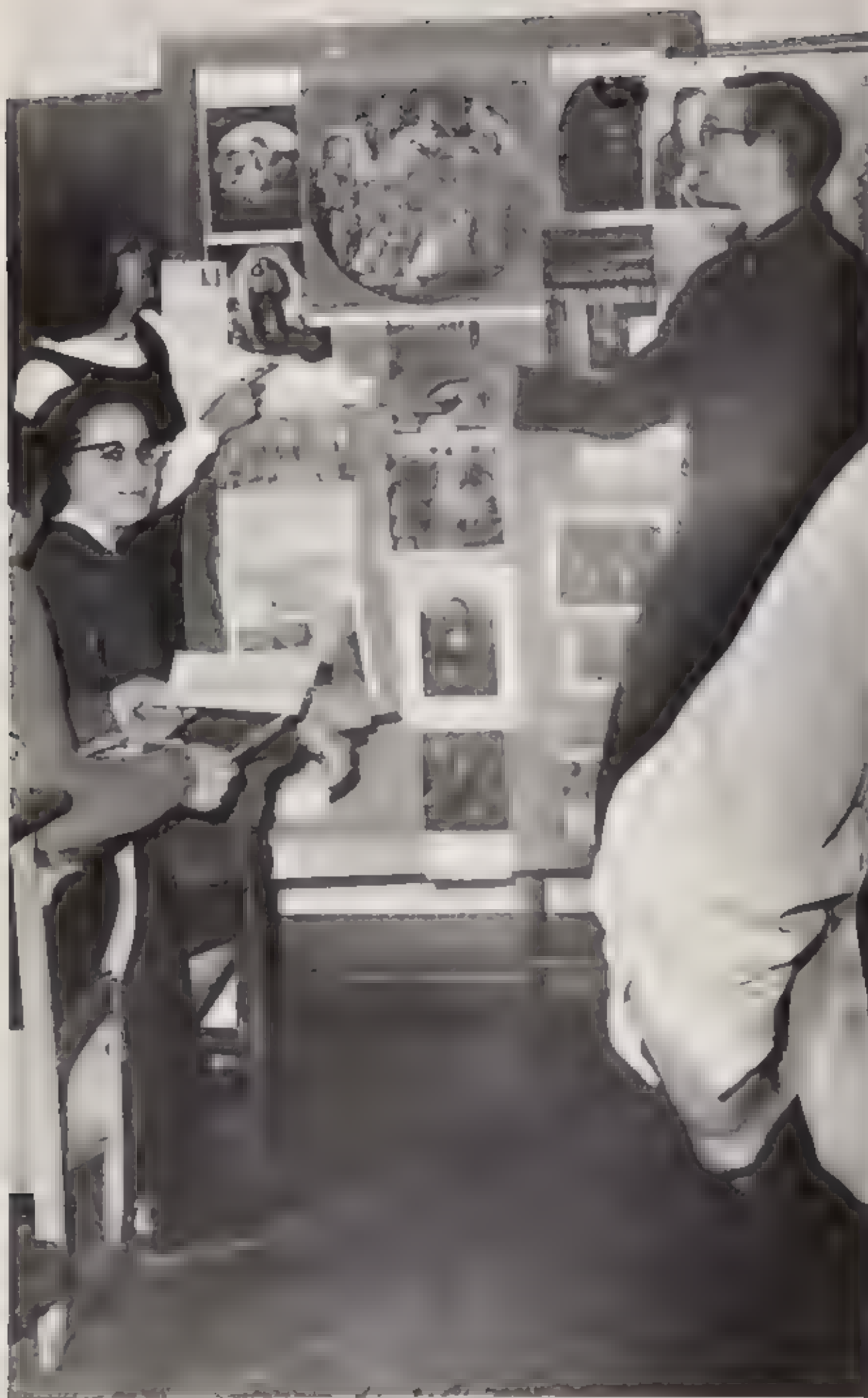


Pet Gifford, Joan Gentry and Sue Krokken





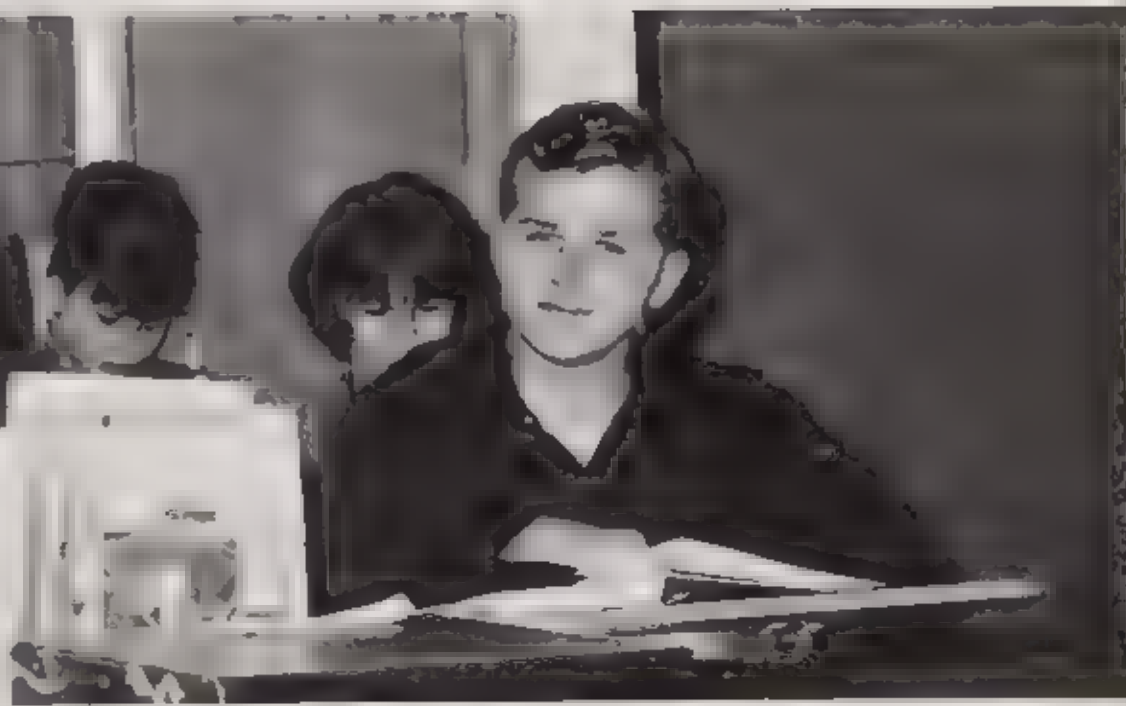
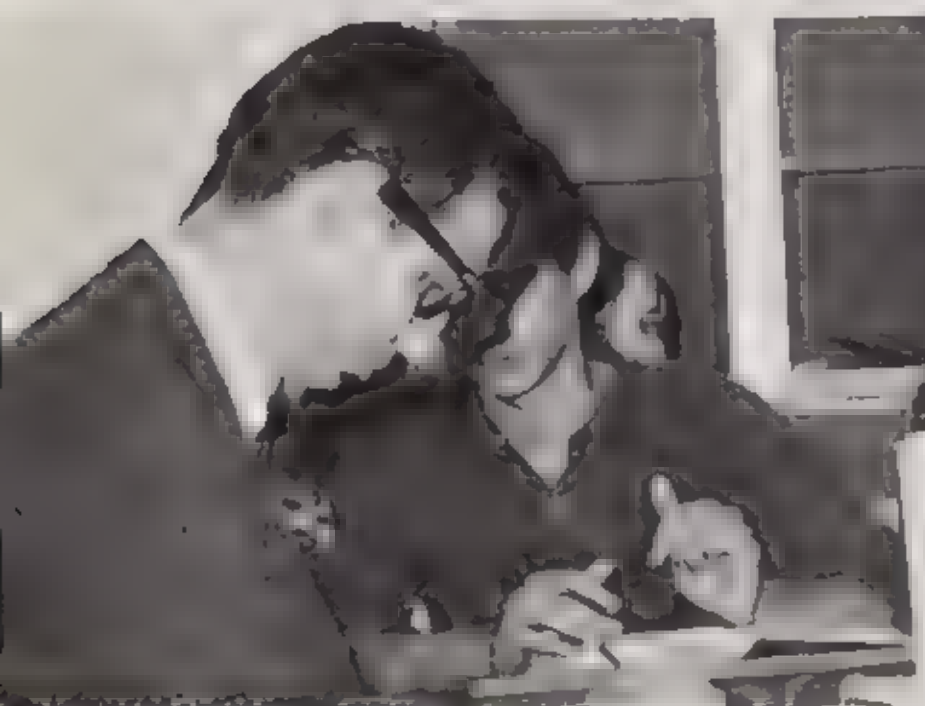
"Was ist das?"



Bonnie Burton and Richard Paul (above) explain to their senior World History class the various pictures on the bulletin board. (Above right) Mrs. Connie Crossman pauses a moment from her reading, perhaps to reflect over her many years of teaching. (Center) Mr. Chynchuch looks up references for his freshman Social Studies class. (Right) Mr. Voegtler enjoys a discussion with Joann Randall, Jerry Ringler and other members of his fifth hour government class about the new paperback text, *Visualizing American Government*







**Team Teaching** provides for a better utilization of staff", states Mr. Kenneth Noble head of the social studies department. The method has proven successful because it allows the teacher to have a better chance to display his individual talents in a given area. Sixty-five students are taught by Mr. John Duncan and Mrs. Homer in the school auditorium. One teacher may take over the class for a day teaching the subject that he is strong in, while the other teacher is giving individual instruction for students having trouble. *Block of Time*, begun in the fall of 1963, has also met with success. Taught by Mrs. Richie, students have the same teacher for Social Studies and World History during their ninth and tenth grades. Members of this class generally have a high intelligence, but low achievement record. Because much of history is reading, the goal of *Block of Time* is to help the students read with more understanding. The Social Studies department will lose a member of its staff this year Mrs. Connie Crossman, who has taught at Dandero for thirty-two years is retiring. An excellent teacher of American History and History of Religion, she will be hard to replace.



Sus Muller, (above) receives a helping hand from Mr. Jones. (Below) Mrs Hoffman and Chris Fara discuss the icosahedron which occupies a place of honor in the room. (Right), Mr. Heler explains the slide rule to Malcome Bryand in Fundamental Math and (far right), Louise Cross displays a geometric figure







## Concepts Spiral Math

"The School Mathematics Study Group, or S.M.S.G., is a spiral approach to mathematics", defines Mr. Walter Diebel. "The problems are introduced simply and become more complicated each time they are reintroduced. With this method it is possible for a student to be exposed to a subject as many as five or six times over a period of three or four years."

S.M.S.G. was introduced at Dondero in 1962 as a pilot course. A National Science Foundation division, S.M.S.G., proved to be such a success that in the fall of 1964, it was introduced to the entire freshmen class.

Block of time, taught by Mr. Chancy Jones and Mr. Walter Diebel, is a pilot course to help under-achievers. The student is taught for two years by the same teacher, and he receives more individual help in problem areas by means of student teachers. It is therefore conceivable for a student to finish math, algebra, and geometry during these two years.

Fundamental Math is a class new to the math department this year. The class was formed as a refresher course for seniors. The average member of this class has had only a minimum of math. It is hoped that by taking this course the students will be better prepared for the business world.

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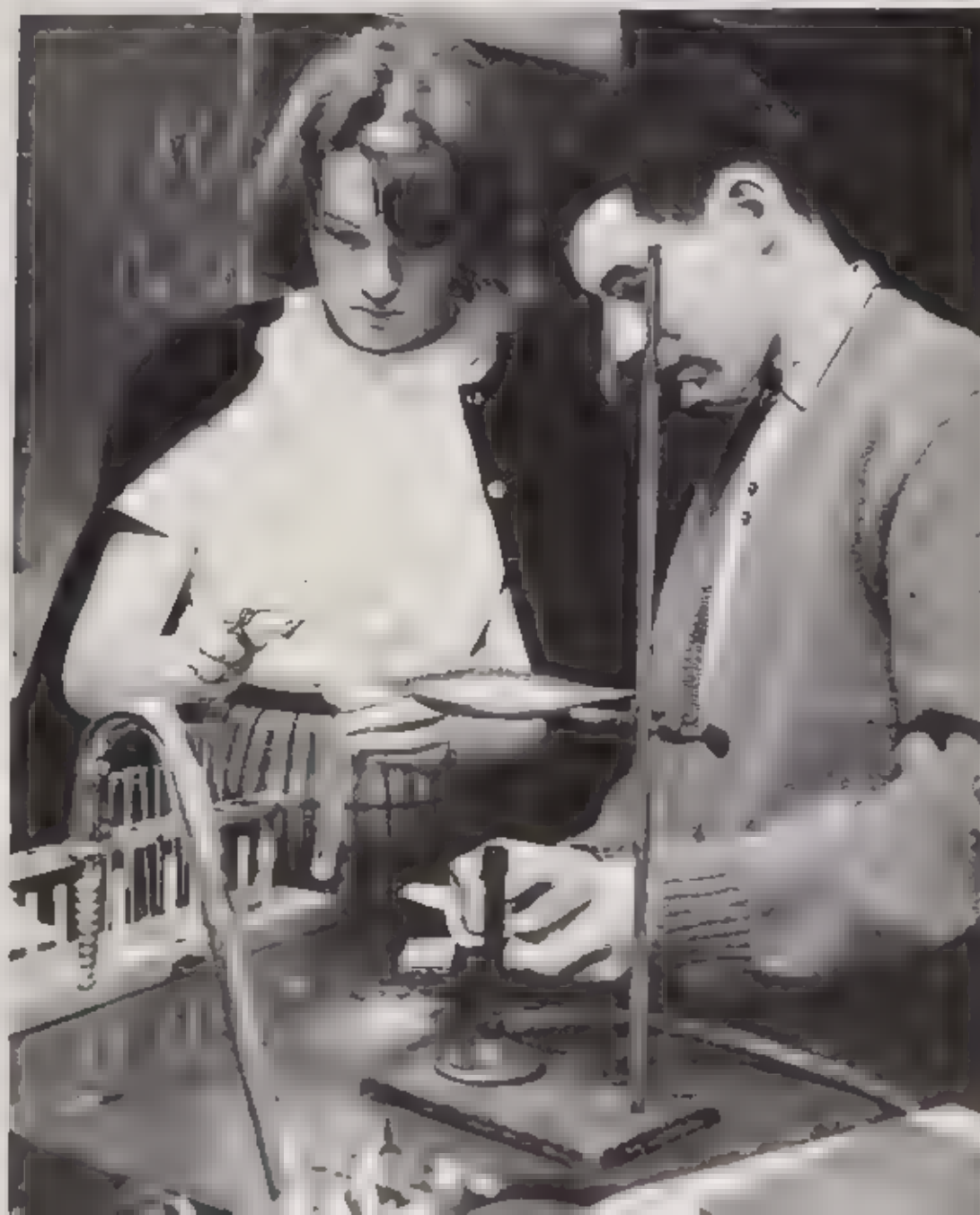
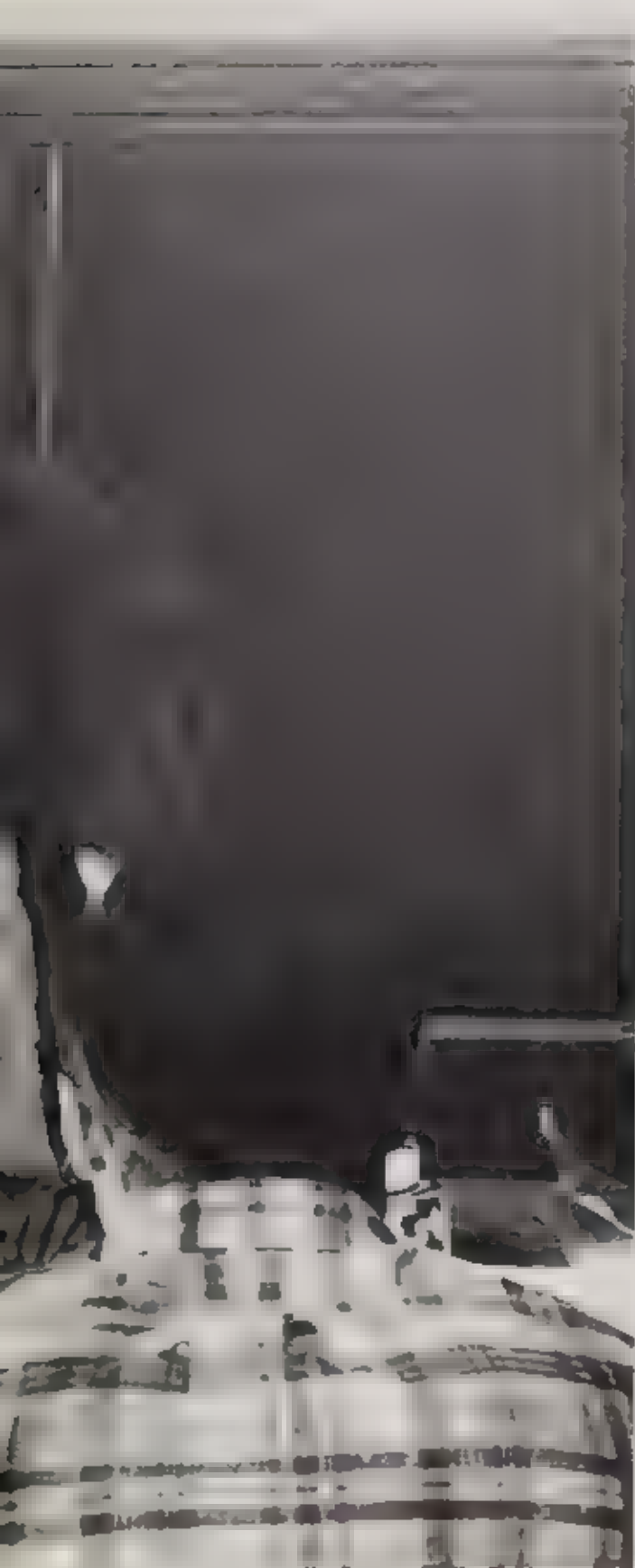
*Sue Klepock examines a huge model of a DNA molecule*





**Seeing is believing** seems to be the Science theme

Allowing the student to discover the answer through experiments and enlarged reproductions not only is more convincing, but also provides for a more interesting class. Incorporating the theme in his Biology class, Mr. Puchalla points out the bones of the cat to Tom Faraday and Kathy Kappheim. (Lower right) Sherida Baum and Bob Hicks search for the answer in their Chemistry class laboratory. Discussion, a vital part of any experiment is carried on by Mark Sevald, Fred Miller, Pete Tompko and Ron Noble (below) in Physics class. The science program as a whole is based upon giving the student training in basic reasoning, in logical thinking and those necessities needed for a complete and full life



# Parts Make a Rounded Program

For a long time the public has pictured home economics as consisting of just cooking and sewing. This is not true. Today the home economics course takes in seven areas consisting of child development, clothing and textiles, family health and safety, family relationships, food and nutrition, home management, and housing and home furnishing. Students are taught theory, develop techniques, and are offered practical experience in the areas according to grade level.

The Oak has condensed the seven major areas into four — family living, sewing, commercial foods, and interchange of ideas. All the parts of the circle displayed at the right make up the whole educational program available to any young girl who is interested.

Family living, the first quarter, takes in home management, housing, and home furnishings — all of which are essential for any girl. In these related classes the students learn the proper way to set a table, prepare a menu, interior designing, and manage a home.

Basic fundamentals are taught to novice sewers such as, the operation of the sewing machine, reading a pattern, and "tricks of the trade" in turning out that finished look. Adding to the interest of the course is Miss Emaline Hornac, a home economics teacher who studied at Maxines in Paris one summer ago. Miss Hornac brought back numerous ideas and fresh styles from her trip which she incorporated in her classroom studies.

Making up the third part of the circle is commercial foods, a new course offered at Dondero this year. Mrs. Egeland instructs the pilot commercial Food course at Dondero and Kimball. The course is

designed for the young men or women who like to work with foods. Because of the tremendous growth of the food service industry there is an increasing demand for well trained personnel in this field.

The program starts in the Junior year with a school day composed of two hours of laboratory experience and one hour of related foods instruction theory, plus the regular school subject required for grade eleven. The course includes health and sanitation, safety and accident prevention, commercial cookery, food service, and equipment.

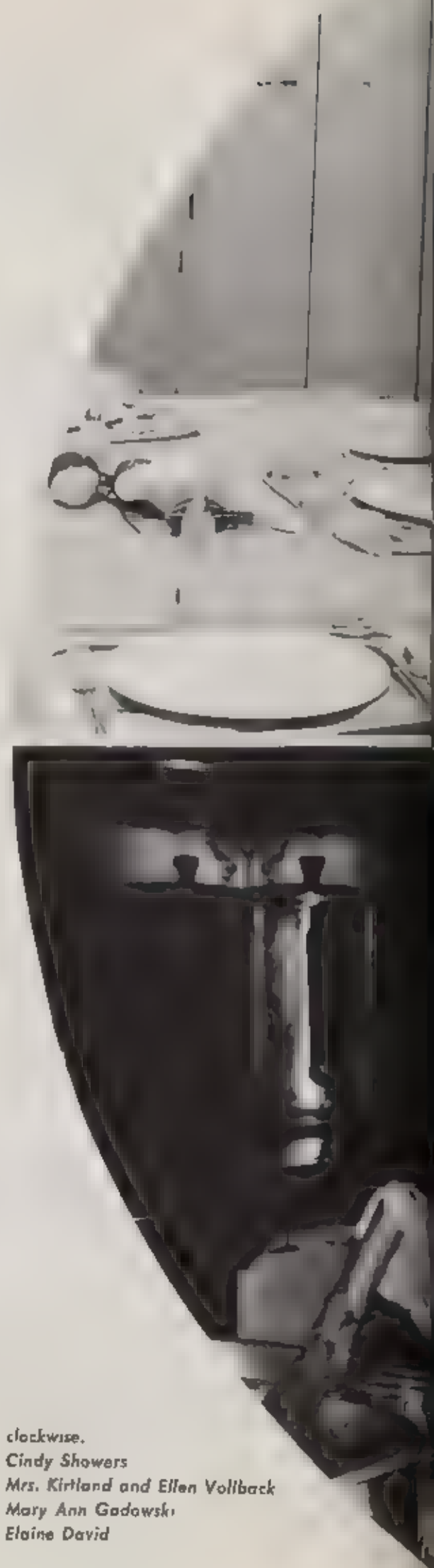
The two hour laboratory is in an actual school cafeteria and students are taught to participate in food preparation as it actually is under working conditions.

During their senior year, students electing this program attend school for a half day and work on supervised cooperative work training programs in local food service establishments the other half of the school day. Students are paid at rates customarily paid to beginning workers in the jobs they hold.

Commercial foods, like the other vocational training fields, can be a beginning step in preparation for advanced community college and state college preparation in the food management field, or the student, upon graduation, can step out into immediate employment.

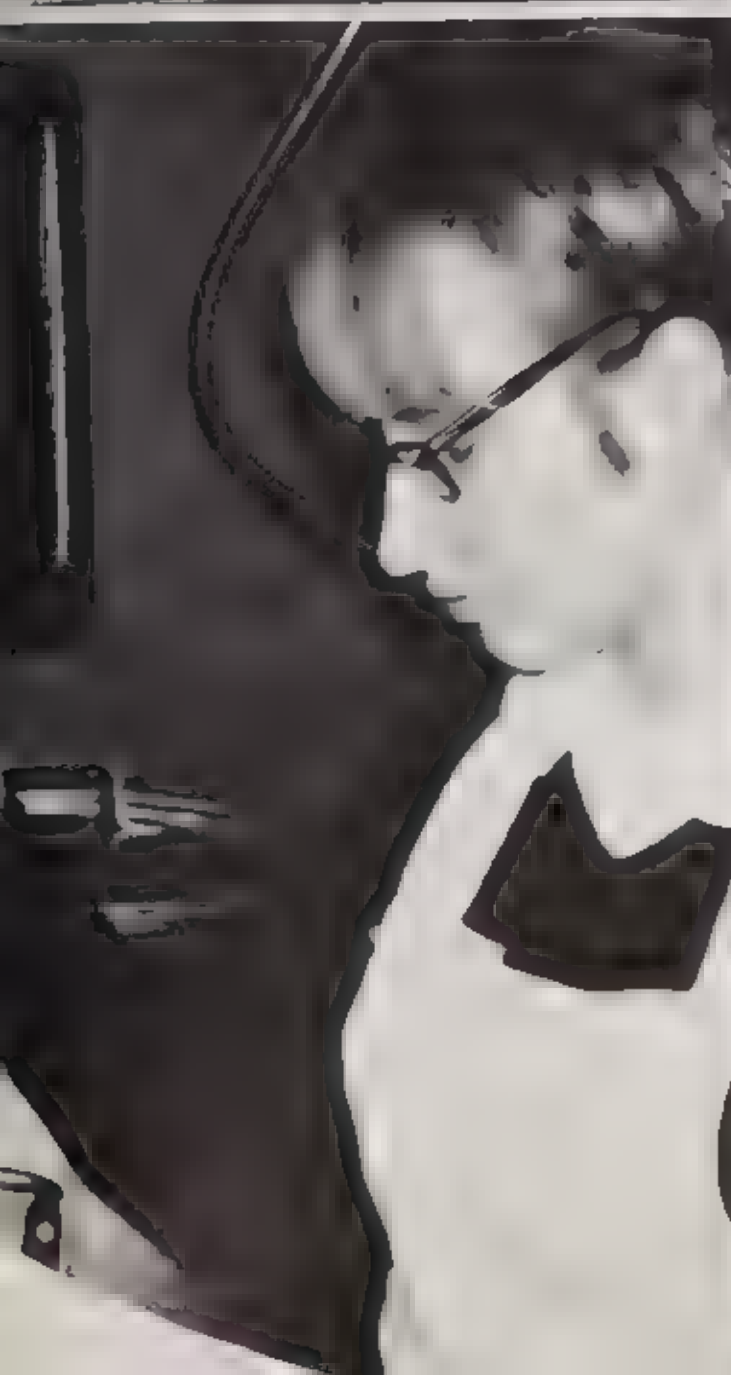
The interchange of ideas is important in the last quarter. Students study child development and family relationships through the stimulated give and take of a discussion. Questions such as baby sitting fees, care of a child, settling an argument are all presented and answered among the students.

The four parts constitute a circle of intensified study to give each student a well-rounded program.



clockwise.  
Cindy Showers  
Mrs. Kirtland and Ellen Vollback  
Mary Ann Gadowski  
Elaine David







## Students Learn Salable Skills

The Business aspect of Dondero's curriculum offers a wide range of opportunities and its main objective is to train the student for a salable skill. A general outline that the Business student is expected to take is typing, shorthand, filing, bookkeeping, business math, office machines, model office and business correspondence.

The IBM machine, incorporated with office machines the first semester and followed by model office during the second semester, is extremely useful to the school as they help with production work in the offices.

Business correspondence, a new course offered this year, is aimed at reinforcing spelling and punctuation, essential knowledge in becoming a good secretary.



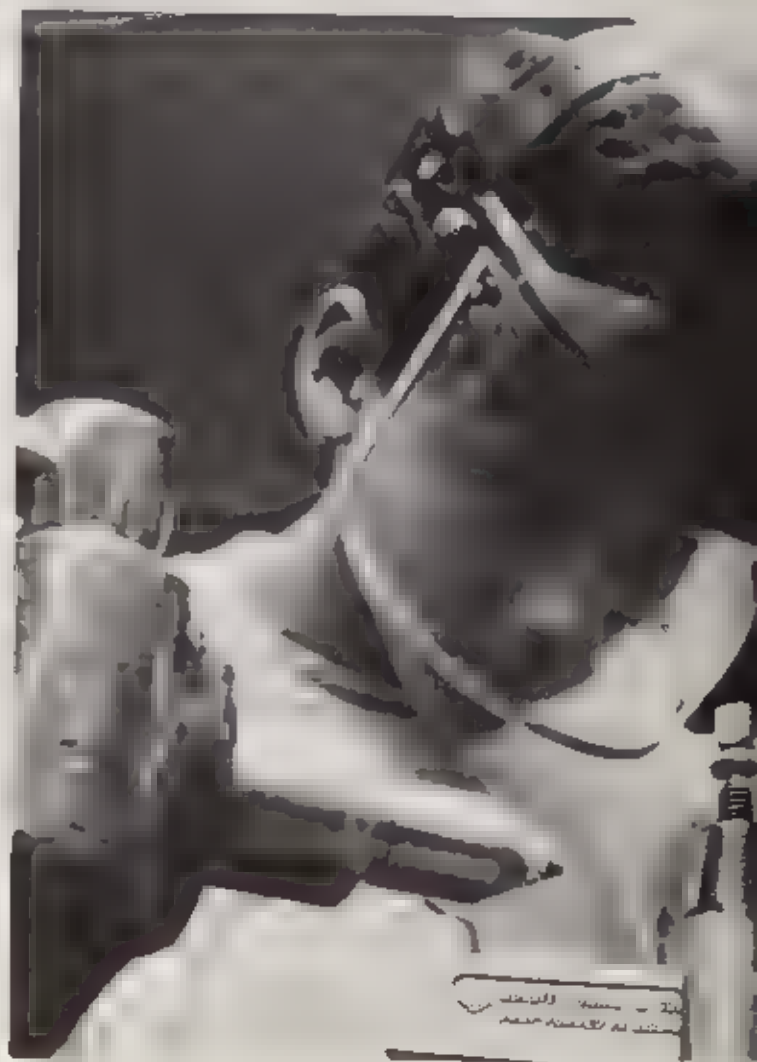




Office girl, Linda Travinski, (above) looks up student's schedule for information. Linda is payed \$1.15 an hour and works from 12 10 to 3.10 each day. Her duties are to type student bulletins, file mail, work switch board and the IBM key punch machine when report cards are due. Linda was one of ten girls competing for the job



Mrs. Burton (above left) a teacher new to Dondero this year demonstrates to Linda Frechette the proper way to insert paper in a typewriter. (Above center) Sue Yarian "sells" Christmas wrappings to Phil Rischo while Rusty Hancock works the cash register in Retailing II class. (Left) Dolores Nelson works the IBM keypunch machine, a skill that is widely sought after in the business world.





# Industrial Arts Visably Productive

Each year in Dondero several hundred students take part in the industrial arts program, a visably productive activity in the school curriculum. This is exemplified by five Work Shop classes under the direction of Mr. Kirkpatrick, who had an exhibit in the first floor display case earlier this year.

Unlike the print shop classes which, in the advanced years primarily work for the school, the boys in the wood shop are allowed a great amount of latitude in choosing projects. Virtually any desired project may be constructed with the approval of the instructor, anything from bookcases and stereo cabinets to guitars and tobaggons.

The projects for the most part are designed by the boys themselves, applying the knowledge obtained in other classes, such as writing, drawing and mathematics. For this reason there is no required number of projects.

For many students who find the regular class day rigid, the informality of the shop class seems to "appeal to the artistry and the sense of accomplishment and achievement of the student."

The industrial arts program does, however, involve more than the productiveness of the shop class itself. In many cases, background is previously laid by a course in Mechanical or Industrial Drawing, as taught by Mr. Corlett. Approximately 150 boys and girls are now enrolled in his classes learning the basics of machine assembly and, in the more advanced classes, the detailed drawing of automotive construction.

*(Left) Mr. Barthe acquaints auto shop students, John Papelian and Rick Snelling with parts of the engine. (Lower left), Bob Conrad labors a mechanical drawing problem. (Center), equipped with a safety mask Bob Collica works at a lathe in metal shop. (Below), George Szymkowski works on project in wood shop II.*



# Arts Geared to Individual

Dondero offers arts courses to students wishing to develop special talents. Radio, journalism, band, orchestra, choirs, and art classes are geared to develop individual interests.

Woak, is the FM radio station operated by Dondero and Kimball. Students can enroll in the radio workshop in their freshman year. An accredited

## **WOAK features weather girl**

class, the student is trained for future work on the staff. They receive valuable training in radio announcing, preparing programs, and learning how a radio functions. This year there are fifty-seven students in radio

workshop while the actual staff has a membership of forty-six. An educational station, WOAK begins each week day at 8:28 a.m. and continues until 3:58 p.m. Commercials are announced every fifteen minutes. The weather is forecasted every morning and afternoon by the WOAK weather girl, Joan Matthews.

Students interested in art are able to take the four year course taught by Mr. Joseph Fischer. First year students learn basic ideas and rules of art. They have practice in sketching, perspective, color theory and lettering. Any year after the first is the advanced art class.

They are required to have two sketch books a marking period. The art classes are often called on by various civil groups to make papier mache and mural displays.

## **performs for civic groups**

Dondero has four choirs, girls glee, boys glee, girls choir and A cappella with a total membership of four hundred. Freshmen having an interest in music are automatically placed in the boys or girls glee. They try out for girls choir and A cappella. The choirs give concerts throughout the year to various organizations and have a winter and spring concert held in the Dondero auditorium.

## **music tastes success**

The varsity, concert and symphonic bands which are directed by Mr. Joseph Parker have 146 members. Students possessing an above average ability for music are placed in the symphonic band. Members of this band are taken to local and state competition where the band is judged as a whole for its performance. Students also have a chance to be judged individually at local and state solo and ensemble competition. The varsity band, for beginner musicians, teaches them to advance to the concert and symphonic bands

The orchestra, under the leadership of Mr. Larrence Simmons has received numerous awards for their excellent performances. The intermediate and advanced orchestras hold two concerts a year.



Sandy Lucas



Bob Grier

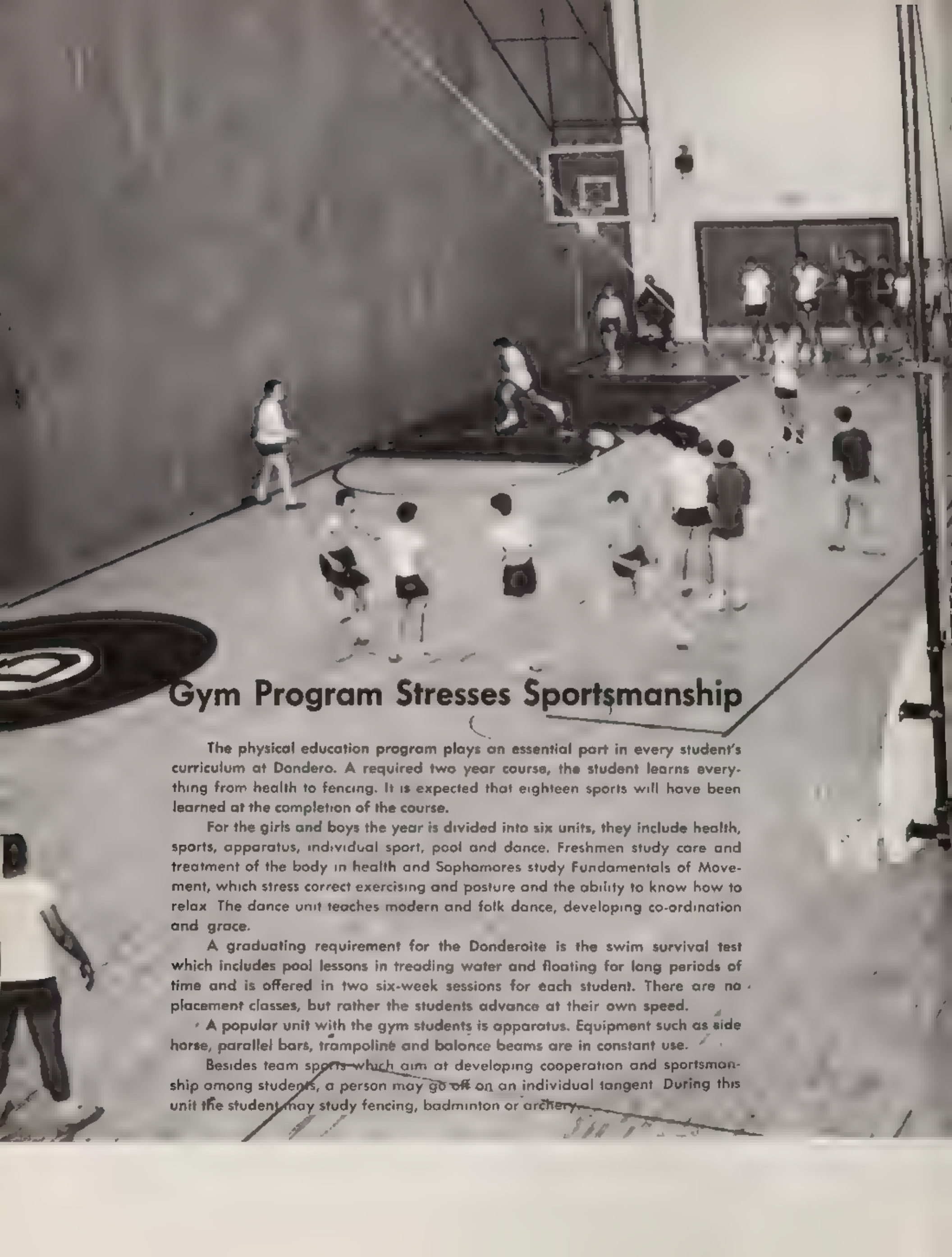




Sylvia Gonzalez



Mr. Smith and Boys choir



## Gym Program Stresses Sportsmanship

The physical education program plays an essential part in every student's curriculum at Dondero. A required two year course, the student learns everything from health to fencing. It is expected that eighteen sports will have been learned at the completion of the course.

For the girls and boys the year is divided into six units, they include health, sports, apparatus, individual sport, pool and dance. Freshmen study care and treatment of the body in health and Sophomores study Fundamentals of Movement, which stress correct exercising and posture and the ability to know how to relax. The dance unit teaches modern and folk dance, developing co-ordination and grace.

A graduating requirement for the Donderoite is the swim survival test which includes pool lessons in treading water and floating for long periods of time and is offered in two six-week sessions for each student. There are no placement classes, but rather the students advance at their own speed.

A popular unit with the gym students is apparatus. Equipment such as side horse, parallel bars, trampoline and balance beams are in constant use.

Besides team sports which aim at developing cooperation and sportsmanship among students, a person may go off on an individual tangent. During this unit the student may study fencing, badminton or archery.





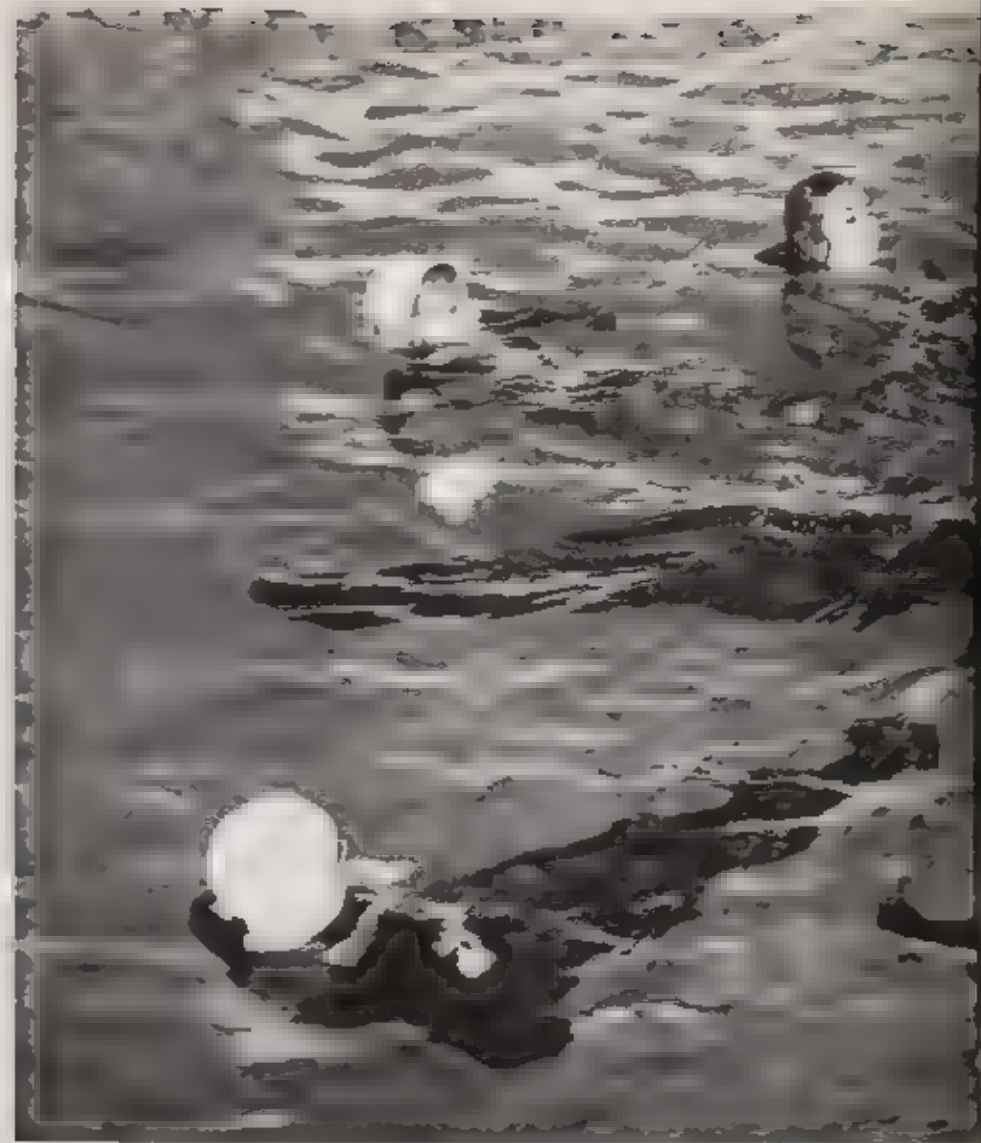


*Bruce Watson strikes an antique pose in the play Blithe Spirit.*



# From the Forest to NBC, Clubs Perk

"All the World's a Stage", or ATWAS, is an example of a club which has come and gone. Others are: the Travel Club, or the Acorn Ramblers, which visited places such as the NBC (National Biscuit Company); the Problem Project Club, to help girls who were potential drop-outs; the Washington Club; the Puppet Club and the Shining Light League, "For those blessed (or unblessed) with red hair!" "The oldest club in school" is an honor belonging to the Girls' Literary Club founded in 1912. Among the many activities of "Girls' Lit" is taking polls on timely topics and sponsoring a World Series broadcast, but the highlight remains the annual Spring Formal. Closely following "Girls' Lit" was Latin Club, which has always sponsored the annual Roman Banquet, as well as having published the *Francia Latina*. Then came the Hi-Y Club, a branch of the YMCA. It is best known for its dance held after the Thanksgiving Day Football game. Present day clubs have sponsored many unusual activities in the past. The Forestry Club in 1935 planted 4,000 trees at Twelve Mile and Campbell. The next year Hi-Y brought Mr. Grayearth, a Sioux Indian, to speak at a school assembly and the RO Club has often conducted an annual Snake Dance through Royal Oak. All-School Parties have been sponsored by the Library Staff, the French, Spanish, and Latin Clubs, the Student Senate, and at one GAA party, a dancing instructor taught everybody the "Big Apple". The Band has always been dedicated, even in 1925, when the eleven members played for all home games "excepting when it rained". Our Orchestra has increased from ten members in 1921, proudly known as "The Snake Charmers", to 60. The Present vocal department, 400 strong, had its origin in the Boys Double Quartette of 1920. A Capella worked in the past with ATWAS to produce many operettas. It seems that the Carnival is the main activity that has endured through the years. Sometimes it was held for two nights, sometimes only one, and it was such a big attraction that other area schools always avoided holding theirs on the same day. Over the years, many an exciting, gay time has been had "at the Carnival".



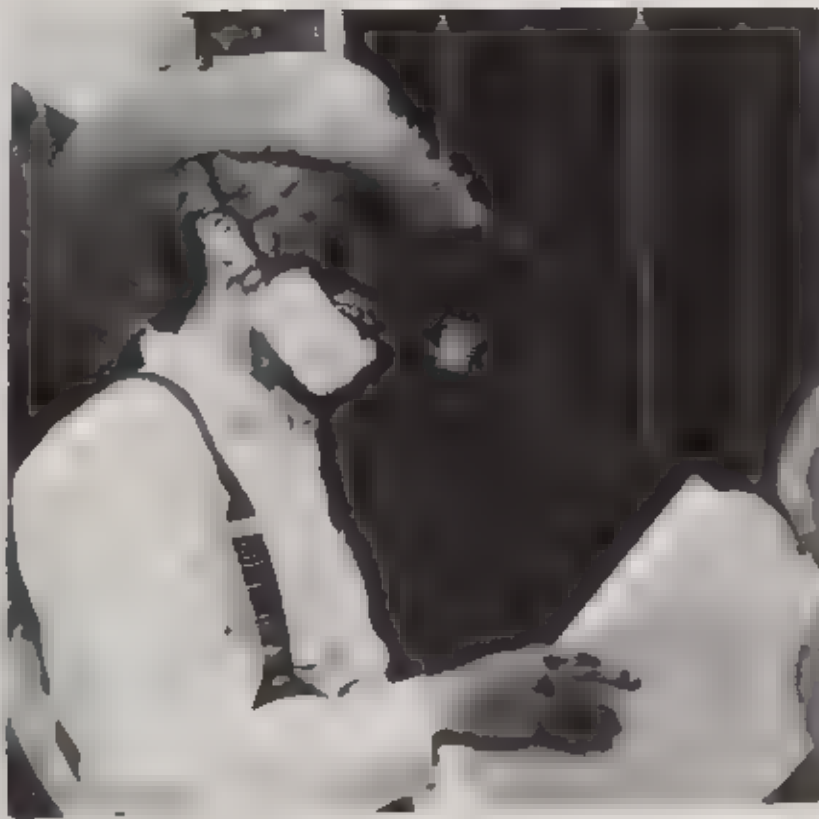
Top, Candy Catlan as Mary Poppins measures Sara Jane McMath's character. Above, a comedy scene from the "Keystone Kops" act.







## Fantasy Figures Come Alive in Swim Show



*Above, Mary Ann Wake, dressed as Uncle Remus reads one of his stories which is the lead-in to an act from a Walt Disney movie.*

The fantasy world of Mary Poppins, Davy Crockett, and Peter Pan came to life in the 1965 GAA water show entitled "A Magic Kingdom".

The annual spring water show, given by the members of Synchronized Swimming, was presented on April 29, 30, and May 1. Three months of hard work were put into the show before opening night. The girls made many of their own costumes, scenery, and arranged and wrote the show themselves. The narration was written by Candy Cotton and graduate, Sara Jane McMath. All eighteen acts of the show were directed by Dalphine Friskey. The swimmers were dressed according to the fairy tale characters they portrayed and swam to the lively music of Walt Disney movies. Bright lights and colorful scenery gave a story book atmosphere to this delightful water show.



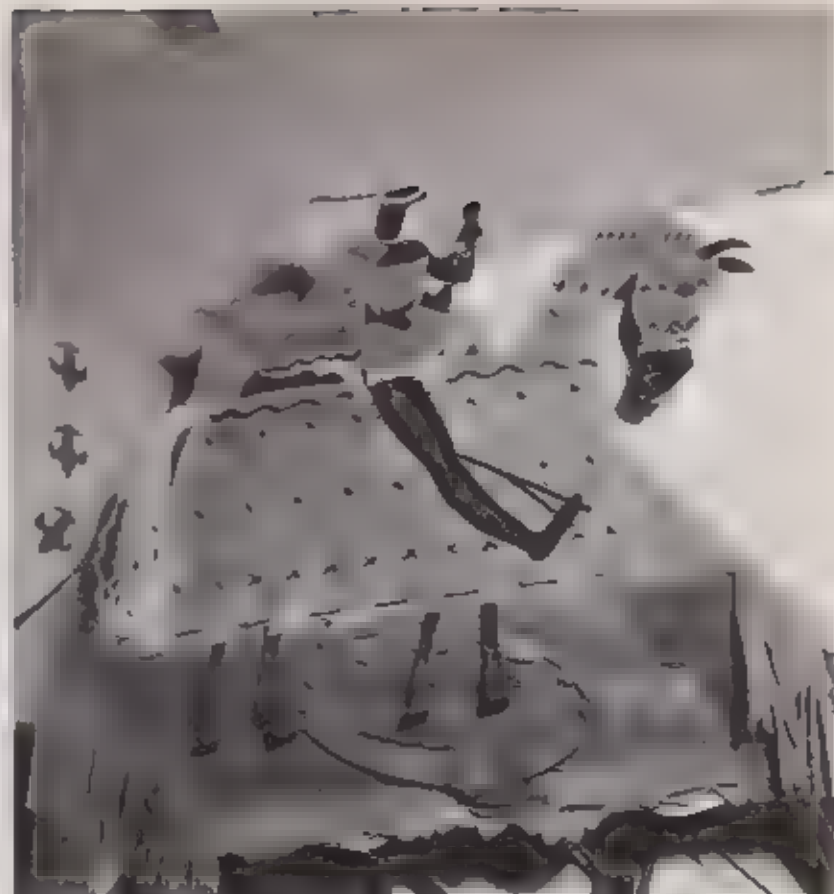
## Camelot Is Dance Theme

The students of Dondera High School danced to an old English atmosphere complete with flying banners at last year's Girls' Literary Club Dance held on May 7, 1965. This annual dance has been a tradition in Dondera since 1915 and each year a different theme is selected to highlight the dance. Last year the theme was "A Knight In Camelot."

The dance, which was attended by 300 couples, began at 9:00 p.m. and lasted until 12:00 p.m. The students were entertained not only by Danny Baker and his orchestra but also by a floor show which was presented by the Literary Club members. To fit in with the theme of their dance, the girls sang the theme song from the play "Camelot."







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Far right, Sue Casselman and Van Presley personify the romantic theme of a Knight in Camelot. Right, on the bandstand which was designed and constructed by the Literary Club members, Dave Bakers' band entertains the students. Above, an example of the artistic talent of the Girls' Literary Club an unusual basket covering. Below, students dance before the Med-eval decor which transformed the gymnasium for this most successful dance.



## Fun Makes Carnival A Success

A steady eye . . . strong arm . . . sure hand. These qualities were put to good use at the 1965 Spring Carnival. Dunking a cheerleader, smashing a car, and balancing a Coke bottle on a pole were only a sample of the many activities. There was everything from the "He-Man" test to the Girls' Literary Club bake sale, presented on the Kimball campus.

The Carnival, jointly sponsored by the Student Senates of Kimball and Dondero, has been proven a definite success. Regardless of the skill, strength, and agility of those who stopped along the avenue of colorfully decorated booths, Carnival goers found both fun and excitement in its imaginative games.

The Carnival, designed as a profit-making device for the clubs, now helps to promote co-operation between the two "rival" schools.







Kimballites pull for Coke.



Roy Loop



Mike Johnson



## Soc Trang Helped

A Capella Choir members participated in varied activities this year. Among them were the Orchestra — A Cappella Concert in the fall and the Christmas Concert, in which the Girl's Glee Club, Girl's Choir and The Boy's Glee Club also participated

For the first time a madrigal group was formed of A Cappella members. They called themselves the Madra Gals and Guys.

A big project this year was a charity drive for an orphanage in Soc Trang, Vietnam. U.S. Sp 5 Jim Patterson (a Dondero graduate) became interested in the children and wrote to **The Daily Tribune** to ask for help for them. Wishing not only to aid the needy children, but also to show support for the men in Vietnam, the choir enthusiastically took up the cause. They collected a total of 350 dollars. The money was used to buy a badly needed washing machine and to transport it to Vietnam and the orphanage.







*Mr. MacGregor directs the Girl's Choir (left). Below, Mr. Smith, Chris Raploplous, Angie Weidlich, Cathy Coulton, Susan Gail LaMathe and*

*Diana Davison select the washer that A Cappella sent to Vietnam. Above are members of Dardero's madrigal group, The Madra Gals and Guys.*





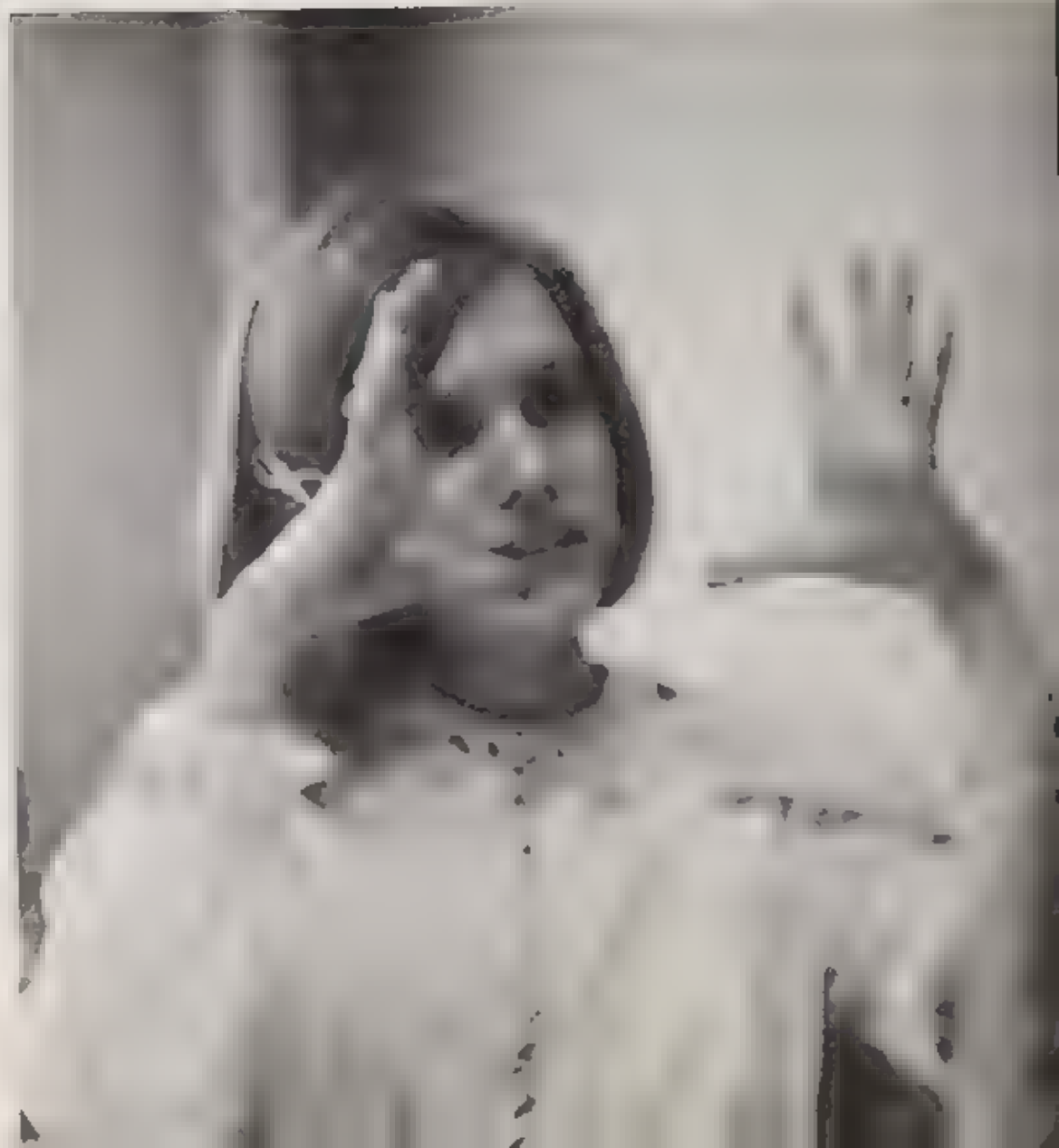
## R.O. Tri-Staff Informs

Mass media at Dondero kept students well informed this year as it has done for many years in the past.

The Acorn, the school newspaper, was improved with features such as **Focus**, a classified ad section and quality was contributed by prize winning editorial writers. Above, Bob Mayer, Editor in Chief of the Acorn discusses plans.

WOAK, Dondero's FM radio station, is in its 10th broadcasting year. Sports events, weather forecasts and both modern and classical music were broadcast. At far right is staff member Richard Lukizich announcing a football game.

Staff members of **Oak** worked for interest and originality in layouts. Mary Farough, **Oak** Academics Editor, at right, discusses ideas with Mr. M. R. Graham







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**A Variety** of performances were conducted by the Marching Band this year. The band played during the half time at Tiger Stadium for the ninth year and, shown at left, is the tense wait for the half to begin. The band marched in the Hudson's Thanksgiving Day Parade for the first time this year. They are shown, (far left), marching in the Autumn Auto Annual led by Drum Major Dick Polk. At bottom right, is the familiar performance that fans enjoyed during the half time at Dandera football games. The 'Pep' Band made up of members of the Marching Band, added spirit to the "away games." They are shown in action above.





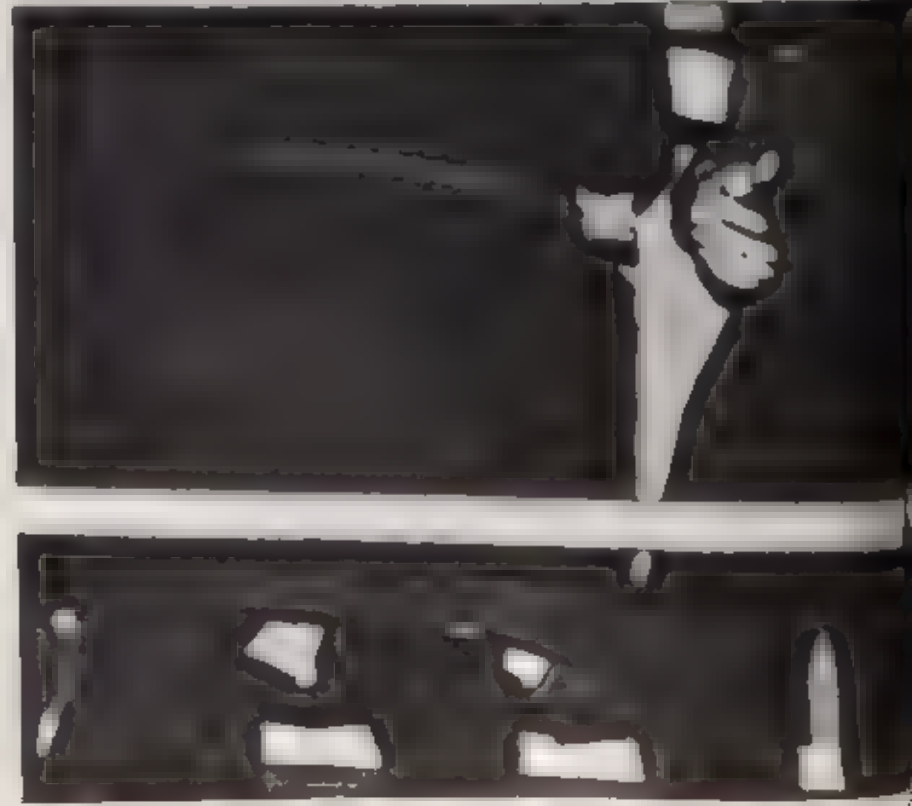
**Imagination was the Key** to the Autumn Auto Annual, a homecoming activity sponsored by the Student Senate. This year's theme was the 100th graduating class and all participants spent many hours working to make their float one of the three prize winners. The Creative Writing Club float, above, depicted "The Little Red School House - Chock Full of Nuts" with an accompanying clown, Marc Crandall. Latin Club's float, right, portrayed the Seaholm Maples bowing before the "Mighty Oak" and captured the second prize. Third place was awarded to the A Cappella Choir. At the far right are the "100th graduating Acorn" by the Forestry Club and the OAK float, "Painting the Maples Oak". The float which carried off the first prize was a gigantic birthday cake created by the Senior class.







*Mr. Pat Wallace clowns at a Pep Assembly (above; Mary Jo Herman leads cheers (below left, at swim meet Bev Snow and friend talk it over (below right). At right, spectators cheer at oppositions loss and Susan LaMothe tensely awaits the kick-off*







## Competition Generates Excitement



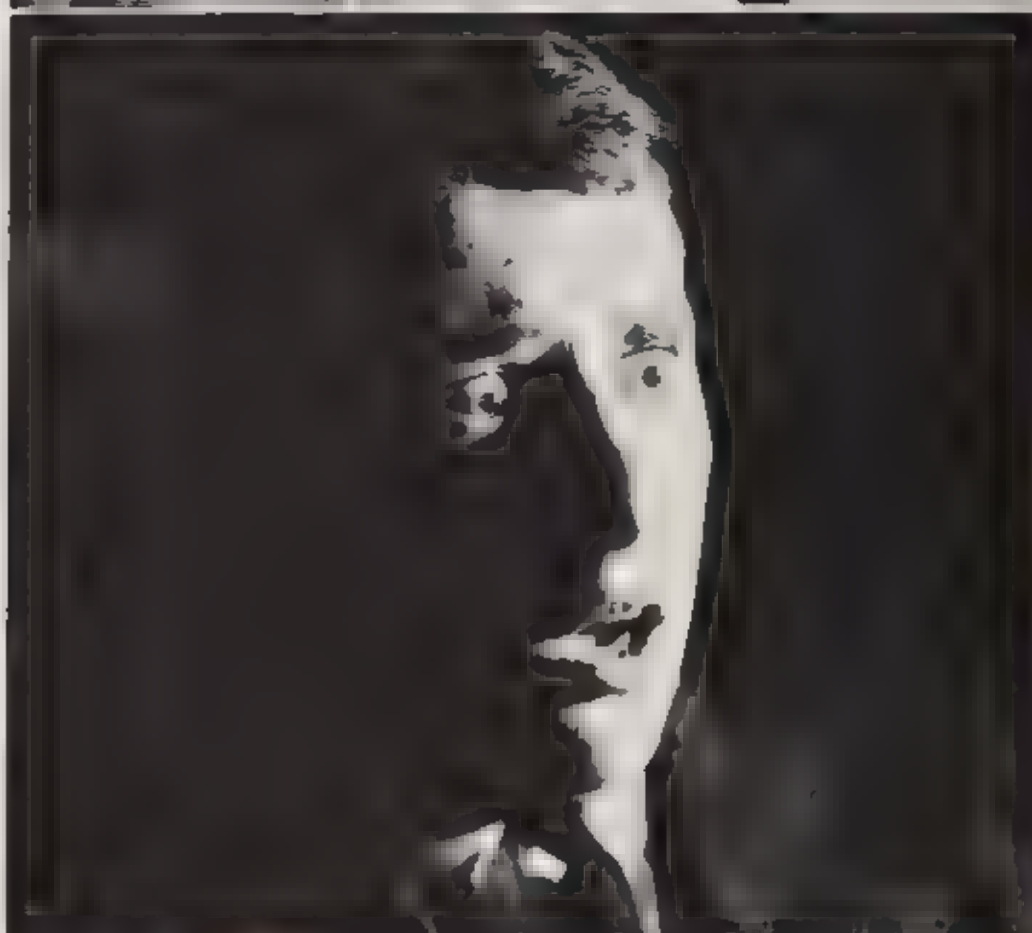
Rousing cheers and shrieks of glee never ceased to stimulate excitement for Dondero fans at the numerous spectator sports this year. Dondero did not lack school spirit as crowds overflowed the football stadium and basketball court. Yet, games served not only to display spirit, but also as a place to see friends, go on dates, or meet new people. In any capacity, spectating was exciting!

*Ruth Condomine played by Bonnie Busch, tried desperately to make sense of the strange affair of the appearing ghost*

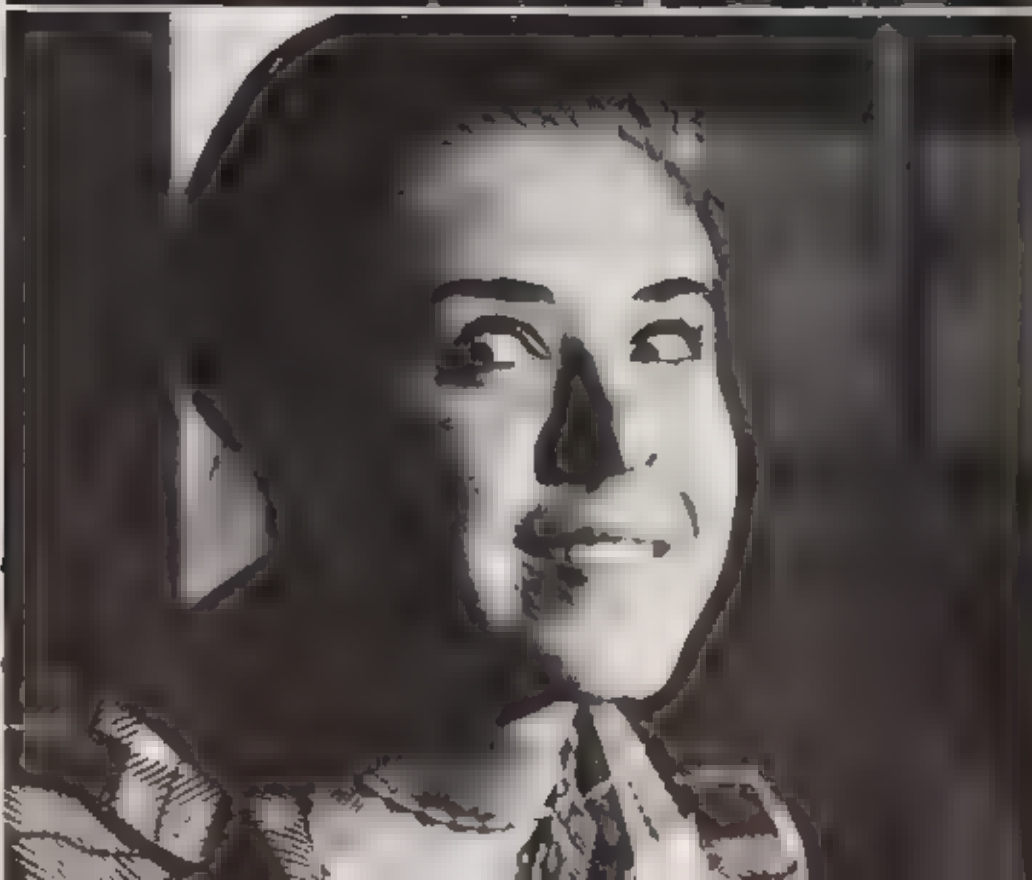
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*Bob Blankenship (Charles) was skeptical of Madame Arcadi's powers until she materialized his dead wife*



*Pat Finn portrayed Madame Arcadi, the bizarre medium whose mysterious antics brought ghosts back to life*







## Serpentine Spectre Haunts Auditorium Stage

The ghostly comedy from Broadway, **Blithe Spirit** was the All-School production this fall.

Charles and Ruth Condomine were plagued by the appearance of Charles' deceased wife, Elvira. The ghost, becoming selfishly cunning, planned to kill Charles and take him to the "other world" with her, but by mistake she killed Ruth.

Adding to the humor was Beth Clinard's portrayal of the dull witted maid, and the mad seance conducted by Madame Arcadi. The Bradmans, friends who helped with the seance, were Bruce Watson and Lynn Carver. Most of the 300 who viewed these scenes enjoyed them, but one critic wrote, "too much swearing, drinking and kissing".



**Highlighting** the musical season were concerts held in February and May. The performances, as always, were well planned and well executed by the members of the Orchestra under Lawrence Simmons' direction and the Symphonic and Concert Bands under the direction of Joseph Parker, above is Mr. Parker directing the Symphonic Band. Pictured at right are Linda Sperling and Janis Holmes, members of the Orchestra, as they rehearsed for the Winter Concert; Gerry Merigian and Ron Paul on their trumpets and a portion of the Symphonic Band. The bands received all "A" ratings in the District Festival in February. The success of the bands is not only a result of group rehearsal and cooperation, but of individual talent as shown in consistently high ratings in activities such as Solo Ensemble. The Orchestra and Bands are acclaimed as some of the best in the state and all concerts are performed before full auditorium audiences. Both Orchestra and Bands are organizations that bring prestige and fine entertainment to Dondera.









**The 2600** students at Dondero have a large variety of interests that have formed into many contrasting activities. Above, the Subterraneans perform at an after game dance. A popular group, they performed at many places in the area. Members included: Glenn Frey, Doug Edwards, Bob Wilson, Doug Gansch, and Kimballite Bill Barnes. At lower right, the pace speeds with the excitement of the music. In contrast to these people are the members of Debate. The team did well this year and they were eliminated only after the last round of the "regionals". On the opposite page is still another contrast. The Latin Club represents the many language clubs at Dondero. Here Dave Hill pours juice over the head of Mark Maltzer to give him a 'lasting set'. The hair set was part of an initiation for his fellow "slave". Pat Long, an old member, laughs over her initiation idea.









*The 1924 team poses with Maynard Morrison, upper left, who was later All American at U. of M.*



# A Tale of Two Cities, They Fight for a Jug

**I**t was a battered old jug, of the pre-thermos days, the kind a farmer would use to carry water out to his field hands. No, it didn't have much monetary value . . . so why did Royal Oak High School football players throw themselves against the equally desperate Birmingham High team? Why to win the famous "Little Brown Jug", which we proudly display in our trophy case today. The idea was first conceived by Miss Eva Moore, advisor for *The Acorn* back in 1924. John Sheperd, a Birmingham end, painted the jug red, white, and blue. This tale of two cities began in 1898, but it wasn't until 1913 the rivalry became intense.

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The scores are inscribed from 1913 to 1956. Since Dondero won the last game we now have possession of the jug. Dondero has obtained the majority of triumphs, losing only 13 and tying 7.

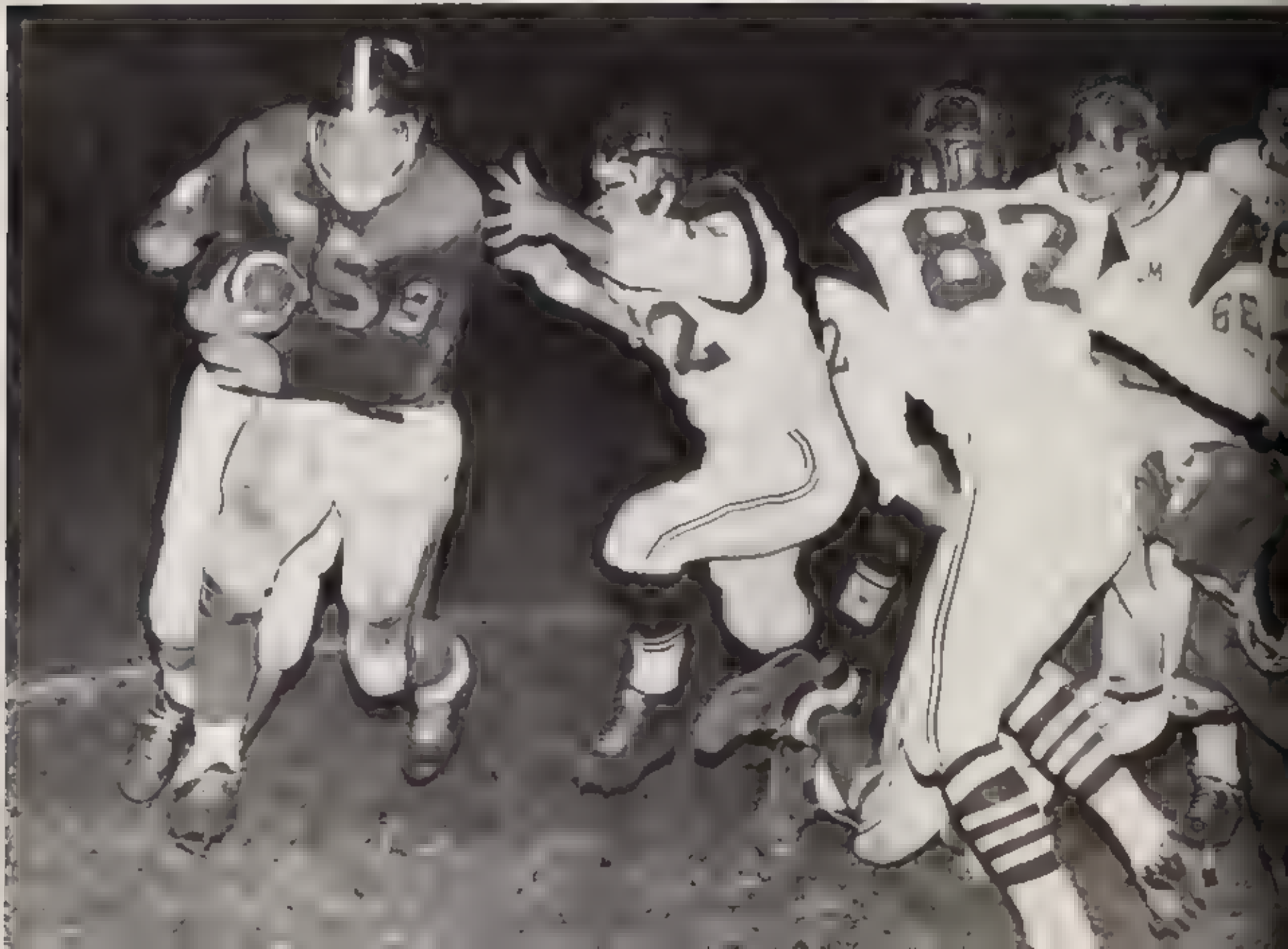
It was just

a rivalry between schools. Both towns got into the act.

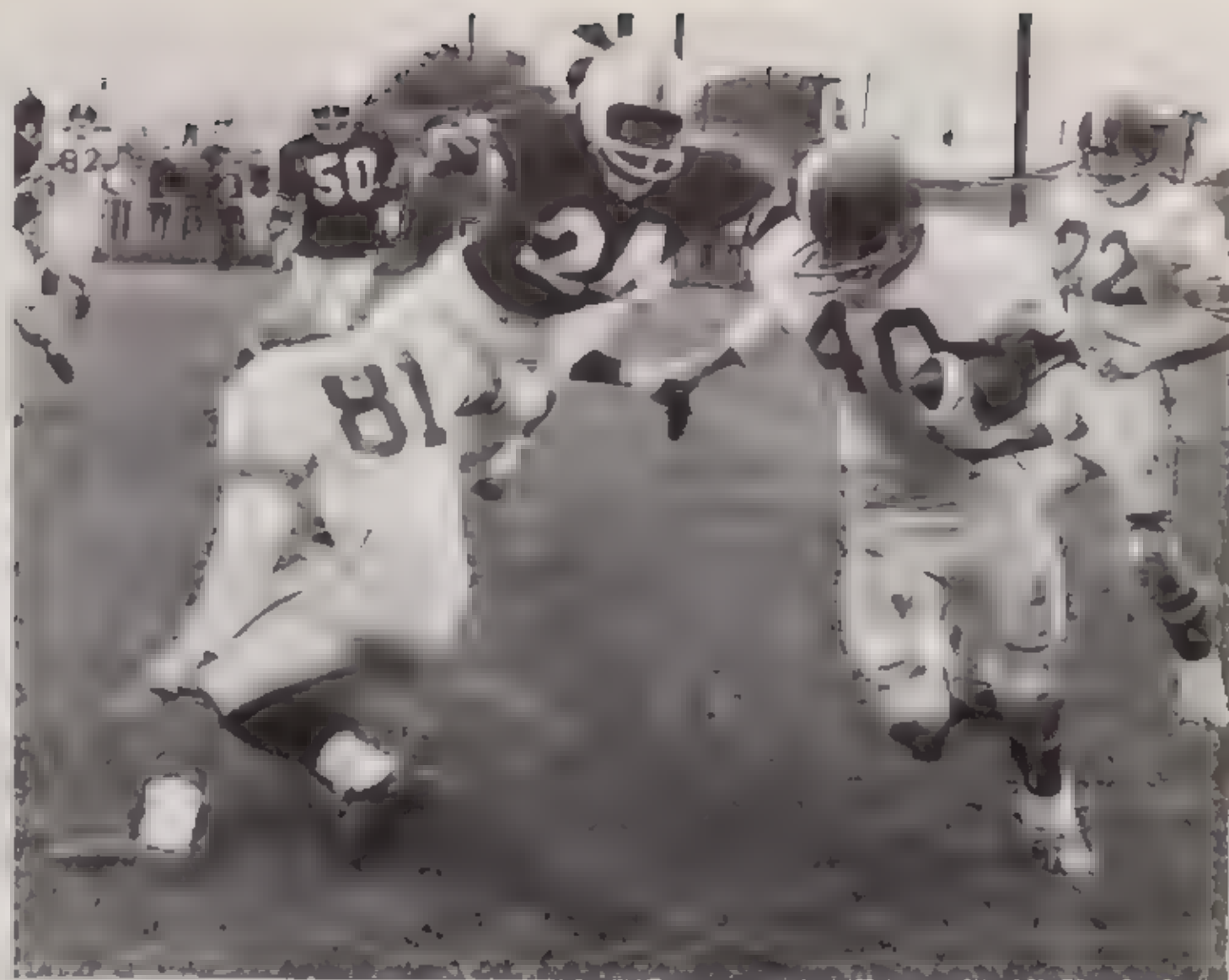
It became tradition that this eventful game should take place on Thanksgiving Day. The Annual Alumni Dance came to be held on the evening before the game. The festivities started on the night before the game, when there was a huge bonfire and a snake dance through town. About 11 o'clock the next morning the game began. Climaxing the holiday was the much-awaited-for Thanksgiving Dance, for all former and current students at Royal Oak High School.

Some years the weather was great, brisk and clear; others overcast and rainy, and in 1940, due to an unexpected snowfall, the students had to get up extra early to shovel off the field. Many a freezing girl has bravely stayed at her seat, seeing "her man on the field" through to the bitter end.

When Kimball was built, this spirited rivalry was transferred to them. The painted press box, oak tree planted in the field, pep assembly, shouted cheer, half-time show, food you're too nervous to eat, many directions yelled from the stands, that infernal goal line, and the ever-illusive pigskin . . . while this remains the same, it can never make up for the community effort put out for "The Little Brown Jug".







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Upper left, the team springs to offensive action against Highland Park. Randy Miles, Paul Most, Rod Rider, and Al Shepler scored touchdowns as the team rolled over their opposition in a 26-0 rout. Lower left, Randy Miles turns the corner as Harry Nowak blocks out the Seaholm defenders in the annual Homecoming football game.

Couch Ivy Loftin commented that this was the best game played by the Oaks the entire season. The fans also agreed, for the final score was Dandera 33, Seaholm 14. Above, Rich Blake successfully takes a Highland Park player out of the play as Al Shepler turns on the speed around the end.

## Oaks Thrill Fans With Fine Season

Rambling to a 6-3 record this year, the Dandera Varsity football team completed their most successful season since 1962, to the delight of many enthusiastic fans who crowded Cass Field.

The team featured deception for their weapon, utilizing the speed of Junior halfbacks Al Shepler, Rod Rider and Dale Wagman. Fullback, Randy Miles, provided the vital short yardage up the middle while Senior quarterback, Bob DeJulius, guided the club, being very ably replaced by Junior, Paul Most, after an injury suffered in the Grosse Pointe game.

The passing combinations of DeJulius to Bob Sherwin and Rich Blake, were potent scoring threats. Rusty Hancock, Bill Orosz, and John Rehbine were standouts

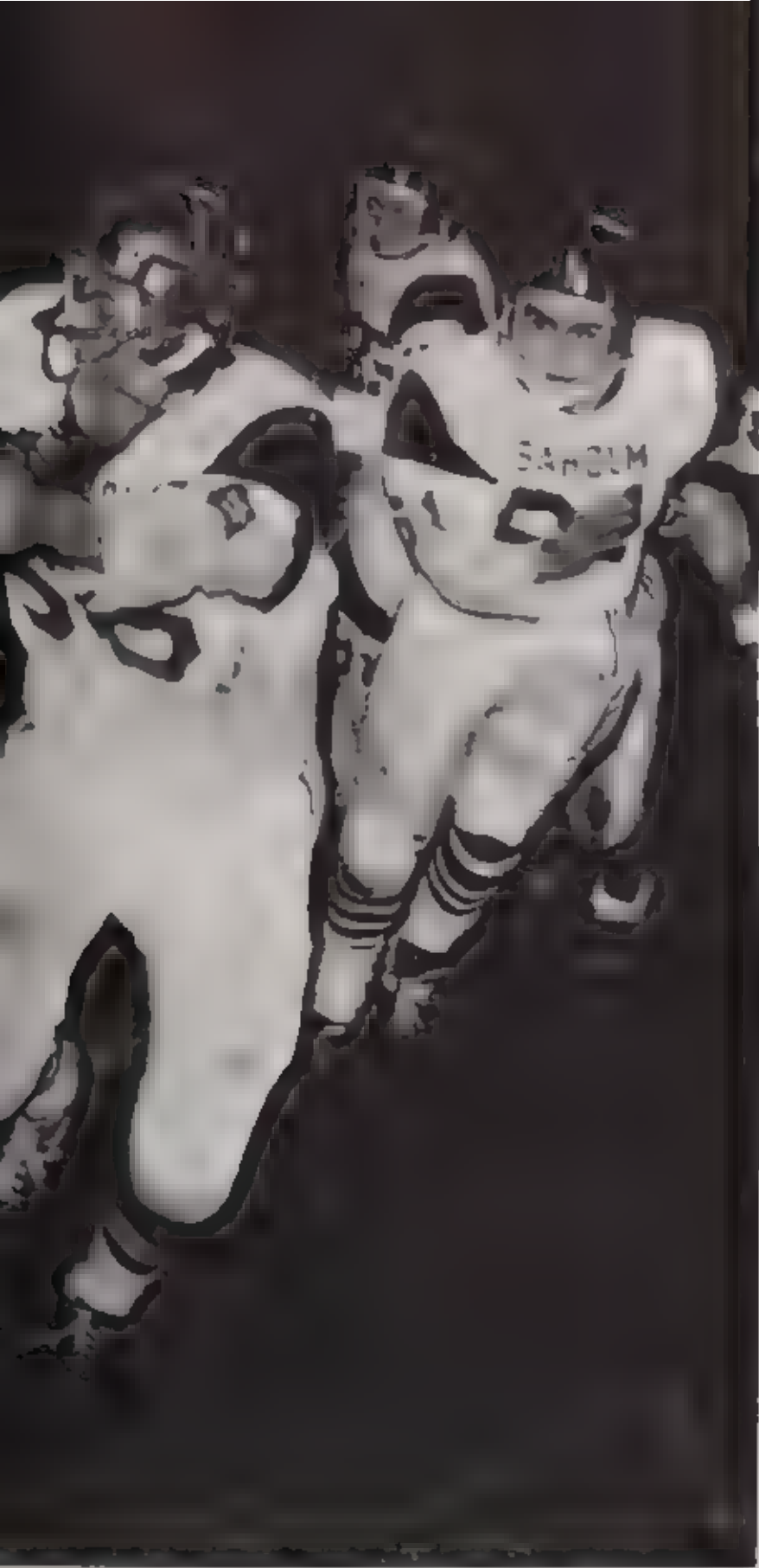
on the line.

Dandera was in the BCL Championship Race, at one time during the season sporting a 4-0 record, but they were overpowered by a fine Wyandotte team in the decisive game.

Football fever reached its peak on November 12, the day of the annual cross-town rivalry game with Kimball. The Pep Assembly was filled with students anxious to pin the first defeat on Kimball in three years. The game, played on a soggy, dreary field, and the gloom of the night made the defeat seem more dismal. John Gabler led the Kimball Knights to a 33-0 victory. With many fine Juniors returning next year, there is an optimistic feeling that the defeat will be avenged.







**Winding up number 14, Bob DeJulius,**  
*at left prepares to throw a pass to number 35, Randy Miles  
 against Highland Park, Bob Sherwin, above, strains to make a touchdown  
 catch. Upper left, Dale Wagmon breaks through the line for precious  
 yardage as Dan Sutton and Randy Miles provide the blocking.*

Spirits were high and everyone was optimistic before the kickoff of the annual Kimball-Dondero football game. Dondero won the toss and chose to receive. As the fateful game began, the Oaks moved to the Kimball 42 on the DeJulius pass to Bob Sherwin. The Kimball line stiffened forcing the Oaks to punt. They recovered a fumble on the 32 yard line. The offense stalled and thus ended the only threat by Dondero of the entire game.

Kimball's John Gabler ran for four touchdowns, amassing 137 yards. The Knights devastated the Dondero line with end runs, passes and plunges to the middle. On the other hand, the Dondero offense managed only 21 yards rushing, 16 of these by the efforts of Dale Wagman, halfback.

The final score, 33 to 0, gave Kimball its fifth straight victory. The weary Dondero fans trudged from the stadium, their faces reflecting disbelief

## Win Gives Knights 5-4 Series Lead

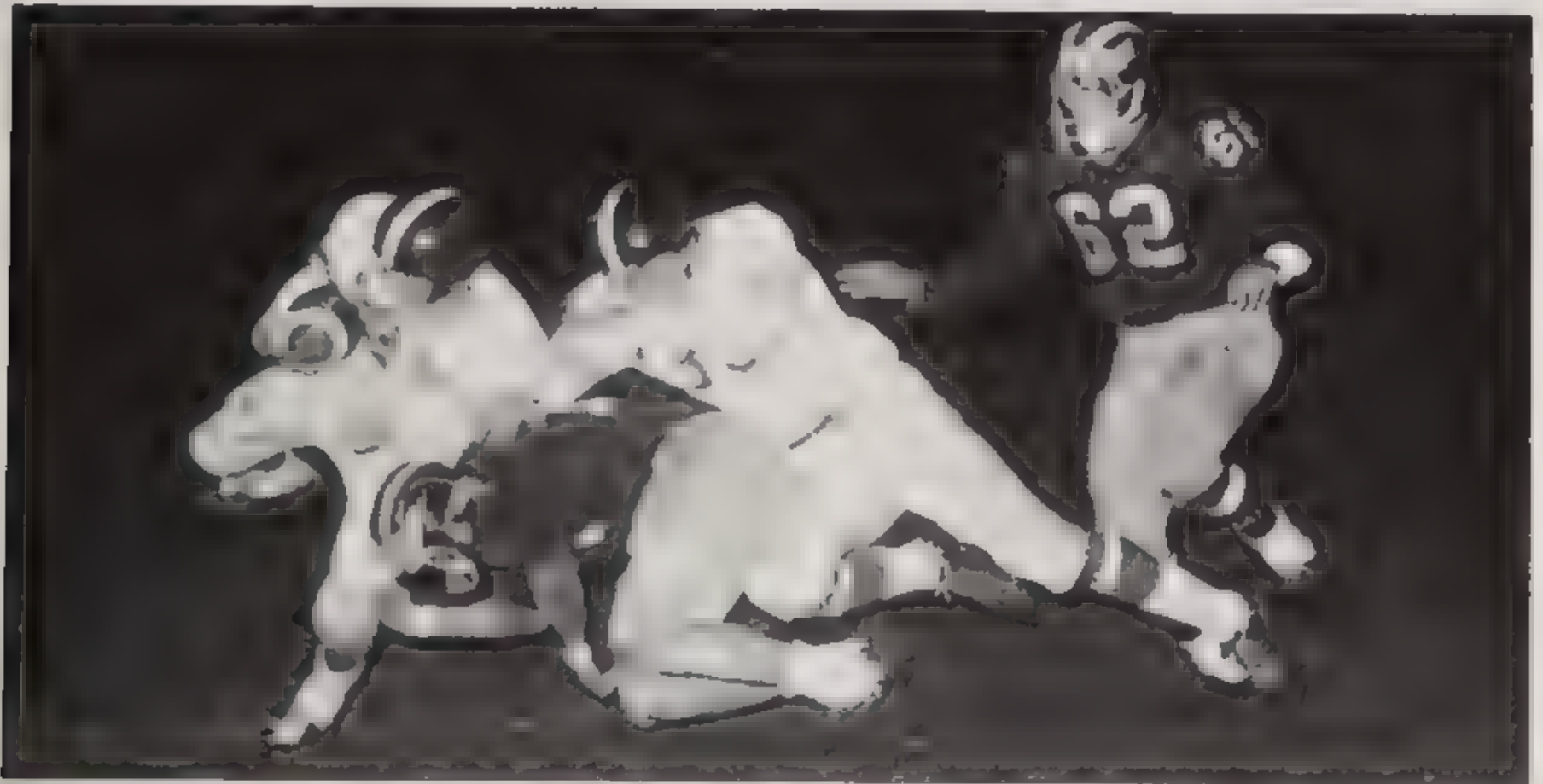
### 33 Points Dim Spirits







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Two Dondero players wrestle Kimball's John Gabler to the turf, at lower left. At upper right, co-captains John Gabler number 33 and Jim Gallery 68 are hemmed in by John Rehbine, Rusty Hancock, Ray Brantley, and Randy Miles in the finest defensive play of the game for the Oaks. Lower right, Rod Rider begins an end run with blocking help from fullback, Randy Miles.

## Ortopan Paces Season

Finishing with a 4-6 season record, the Harriers have nothing to be ashamed of. During the course of the season, the team coached by Mr. Richard Hursh, ran four of the top teams of the state. The captain of the team for this year was Dave Ortopan, who set the school record on the new course. Other senior lettermen on the team are Craig Claver, Marc Crandall, and Rick Bishop. Dave Olmstead will be next year's team captain and the other varsity runners will be Lauren Tremper, Reed Schroer, and Rich Eaton.

Once a week, on the hills of Bloomer State Park the team practiced and the workout was rewarded by sixth place in the Regional Meet. Dave Ortopan and Dave Olmstead qualified for the State Meet.

Next year's team will have four experienced Juniors and many fine Sophomores and Freshmen. It should continue to improve.







Craig Klaver, Rick Bishop, Marc Crandall and Dave Ortopan do their warm-up exercises before the Regional meet held at Rouge Park, upper left. Lower left, Klaver leads as Eaton and Ortopan sprint to pass a Wyandotte runner on the first part of the grueling two mile course. Below, Dave Ortopan strains for extra yards as he sprints across the finish line for first place.





*Slipping past his guard, Mickey Westmoreland (above) drives in and puts it into the hoop. At right, Captain Rich Blake dribbles out of danger*



# Hustling Hoopers Thrill Crowds With Excitement

With the crowd screaming and one second remaining on the clock, captain Rich Blake gunned in a thirty foot shot to give Dondero its biggest win of the season. A 45-44 win over Highland Park. The season was characterized by many last-second wins and losses. The most heartbreaking game of the season was the 74-71 loss to cross-town rival Kimball. Dondero led by twelve points at one time but lost the game in the waning moments.

The hoopers finished the season with a 6-10 overall record, but managed to advance to the District finals before bowing to Warren Cousino.

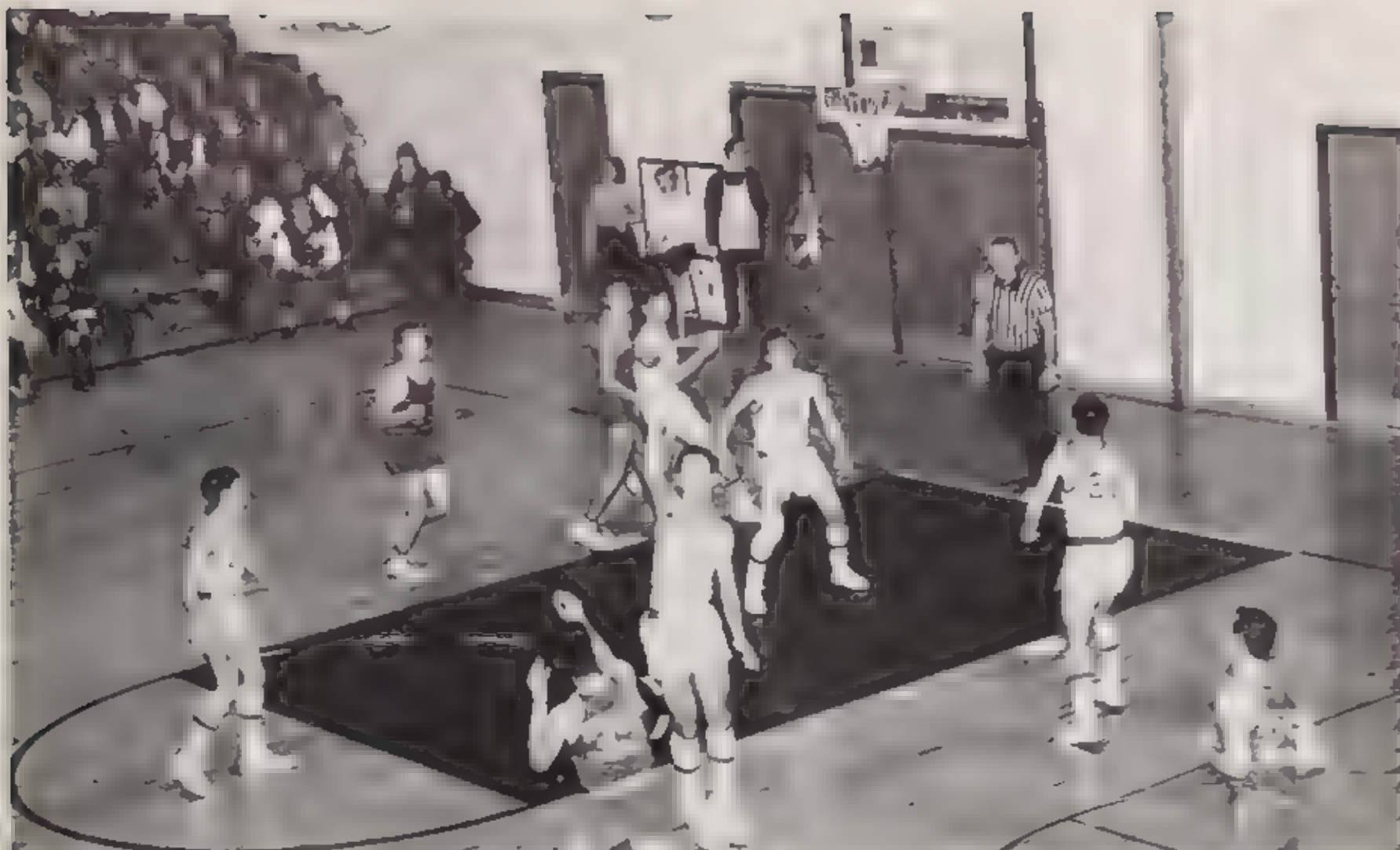
Rich Blake, Mickey Westmoreland, Bob DeJulius, Larry Arnkoff, Rod Rider, Wes Youngblood, Rob Zins, Bob Sherwin, Bob Sheldon and John Mann did outstanding jobs and Dondero's cage future looks bright.



*Bob Sherwin leaps high into the air for the ball as Bob DeJulius and Rob Zins wait for the tip in the Fardson game*







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**Victory — Hooping** it in the tradition of all Dondero sports events, Rich Blake (above) leads the team into the most exciting game of the season, Dondero's first victory over Highland Park in 19 years. At left, Bob Sheldon and Rob Zins grapple for a rebound in the Wyandotte game. All eyes are on the basket at top right as a Wyandotte shot travels towards it. From left to right are, Wes Youngblood, Larry Arnkoff, Bob Sherwin, Rob Zins and Rod Rider



## Tanned Tankers Finish 4-10 After Sunny Trip

A trip to the sunny climate of Florida and three qualifications for the State Meet, highlighted the 1966 swimming season. The sun-tanned tankers could manage only a 4-10 record but at the end of the year showed promise for the future. Dave Heugh qualified for the 100 yard breaststroke, the 200 yard medley relay team of Rick Bishop, Dave Heugh, Gary Ladue, and Don Wiss, and the 400 yard free style relay team of Gary Ladue, Chris Martin, Marty Horwitz and Don Wiss qualified.

*Above, the Timettes, Pat Drury, Edie Haemke, Kathy Kaufman, Pam McCauley, Kathy Lawson and Sue Moore watch a close race with Don Wiss, Dave Heugh, and Lee Gerletti.*









## Successful Wrestlers Pin Kimball in 11-4 Season

"They're the best team Dondero has ever had," said coach Bob Puchalla of his wrestling team as they completed the best season in the school's history. They finished with an 11-4 record and set many school records during the course of the season. The 51 points they scored against Highland Park was a new record, and the 73 pins they accumulated over the season was another. The team registered a shutout, and broke the record for the most number of takedowns in one meet when they scored 17 against Cranbrook.

Al Kracker took over the position of co-captain after Tom Delehant dislocated his elbow in practice. Al did a fine job of leading the team, along with the other co-captain, Rusty Hancock. Rusty broke the school record by scoring 82 points this season.

With Duane Kregor, Tom Neismith, Tom Vassallo, Louis Daucet, Norm Hancock, Roger Duty, John Guarino, Tom Faraday, Al Shepler, Bill Woodcox, Mike Kimber and Tom Dudley returning next season, the grapplers are looking forward to another successful season.



Throughout the season, the small crowds which attended the meets saw many fine wrestling matches as the grapplers completed a fine season. At left, Duane Kregor battles to achieve a good hold on a

Kimball wrestler, during the victorious conquest of the Knights. Below, Co-captain Rusty Hancock proceeds to pin his opponent to the mat for five points, as the referee supervises the action.



## Lucky 13 Promise Optimism

Despite a losing season of two wins and five losses, and the graduation of 13 varsity lettermen, the Dondero track team is looking forward to one of the most successful seasons.

The reason for the optimism can be found in the returning lettermen, Rick Bishop, Rich Eaton, Ron Johnson, Dave Ortopan, Dick Paull, Rod Rider, Dale Wagman, Craig Klaver, and Steve Klix. Returning Junior Varsity runners are Dave Olmstead, Reed Schroer, Lauren Tremper, Bruce Eaton, Roger Eddy, Vern Martin, Mike Johnson, Jim Lawson, Aaron Rosenbaum, and Norm Tompkins.

Last year there were four school records set by the team. Rider hurtled 21' 11" in the long jump, the 880 relay team of Rider, Smith, Waters and Paull hit a time of 1:32.2, Paul Olmstead turned in a mile of 4:25.5, and Rider sprinted the 220 yard dash in 21.8 seconds.

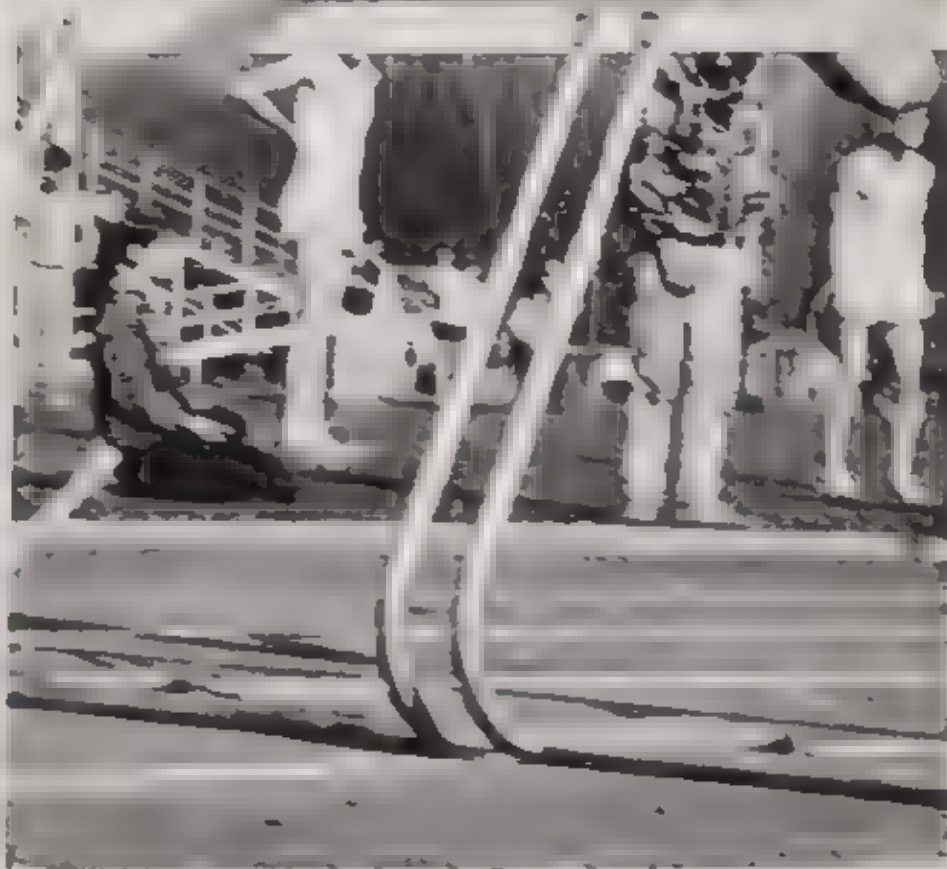
If the varsity runners come through and the JVS plug the gaps, this could be a great season.

ROD	1965 Track Season Record	OPP
45	Berkley	64
44	Kimball	65
68	Fordson	41
45	Grosse Pointe	64
46	Monroe	63
50	Wyandotte	59
73	Highland Park	36





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*Flying across the cinders at upper left, Dave Ortapan strains to hand off the baton to Ron Johnson in the mile relay. Lower left, John Tsacoumangos, Craig Klaver, and Paul Olmstead start out in the mile run in the Grosse Pointe meet. Above, Dick Paull exhibits the winning form which made him one of the best hurdlers in the BCL. All except Olmstead return this year.*



## Batsmen Swing for Better Season

The Varsity baseball team will be badly hurt after the loss of ten varsity players this year due to graduations. Four varsity players, Dave Monte, Harry Nowak, Tom Prested, and John Rehbine, will be returning.

The returning junior varsity players, Dale Forgie, Marshall LaPlata, Chuck Mattson, Randy Miles, Paul Most, Phil Preston, Gerald Rajala, Al Rightler, and Rob Zins, will have to fill the vacancies.

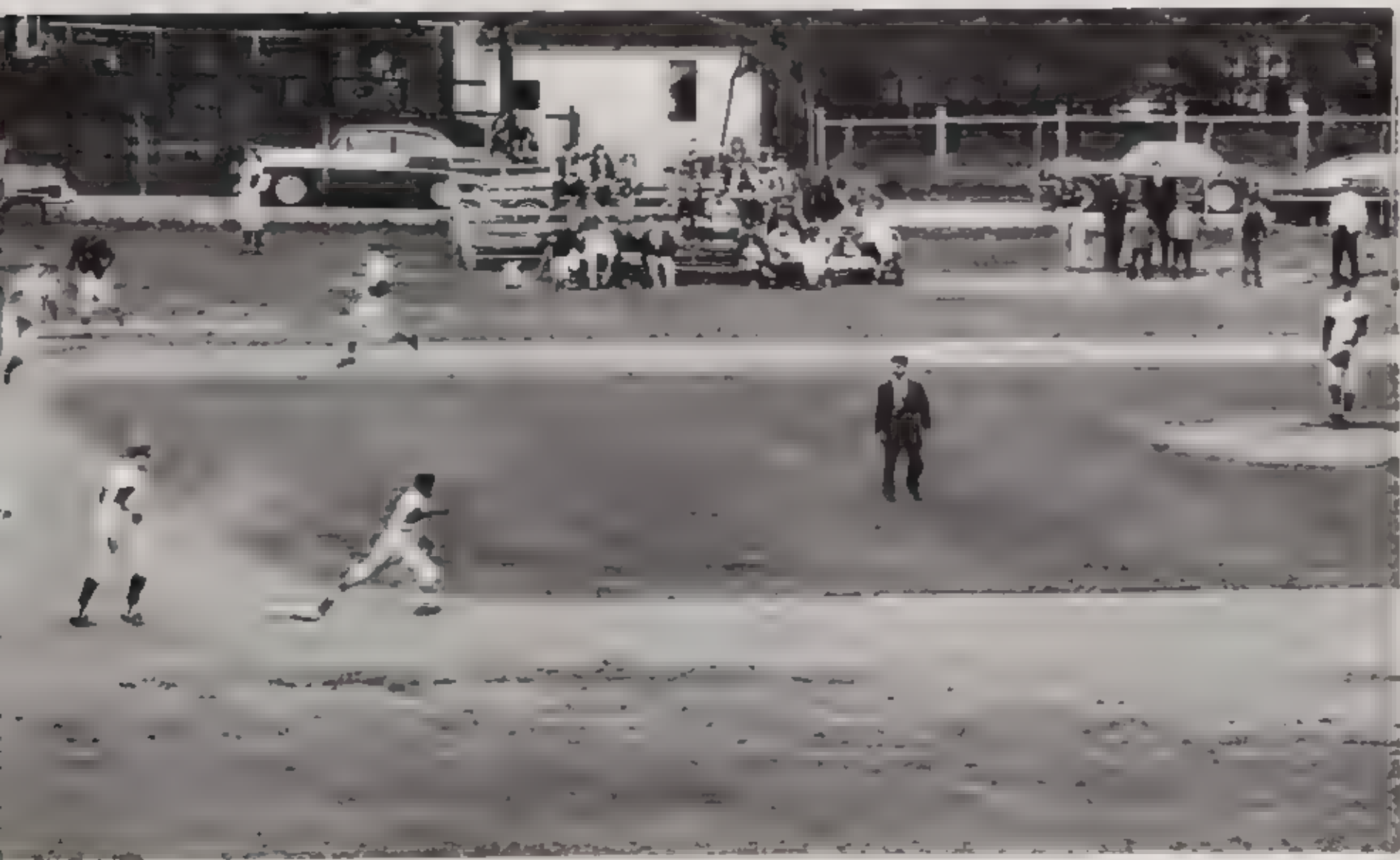
The team, which is coached by Mr. Jack McLean, hopes to improve or its poor record of last year of five wins and eight losses.

In the 1965 season the team defeated Osborn by a score of 3 to 2, Hazel Park by a score of 4 to 3, beat Wyandotte once, 2 to 1 and then lost the second game by a score of 6 to 1, beat Fordson 2 to 1 and lost the second game by a reverse score of 1 to 2, beat Monroe 3 to 0 and then lost 5 to 1. It lost two games to Highland Park, 6 to 3 and 7 to 4, lost both games to Grosse Pointe by scores of 2 to 1 and 1 to 0, and lost single games to Berkley and Kimball, 0 to 2 and 1 to 3, respectively. The batsmen not have too much depth to draw from this year and will have to depend on fine performances on the part of returning team members. The four experienced varsity men and junior varsity players will have to work together if the upcoming season is to be successful.

*Upper right, Graduate, Dennis Smith, leans over to make a catch for Dondora. Dondora players stand helplessly by as Highland Park defeats them 7 to 4, in bottom right. Lower left, former student Dick Rockwell shows the form which gave last years baseball team a much needed boost.*

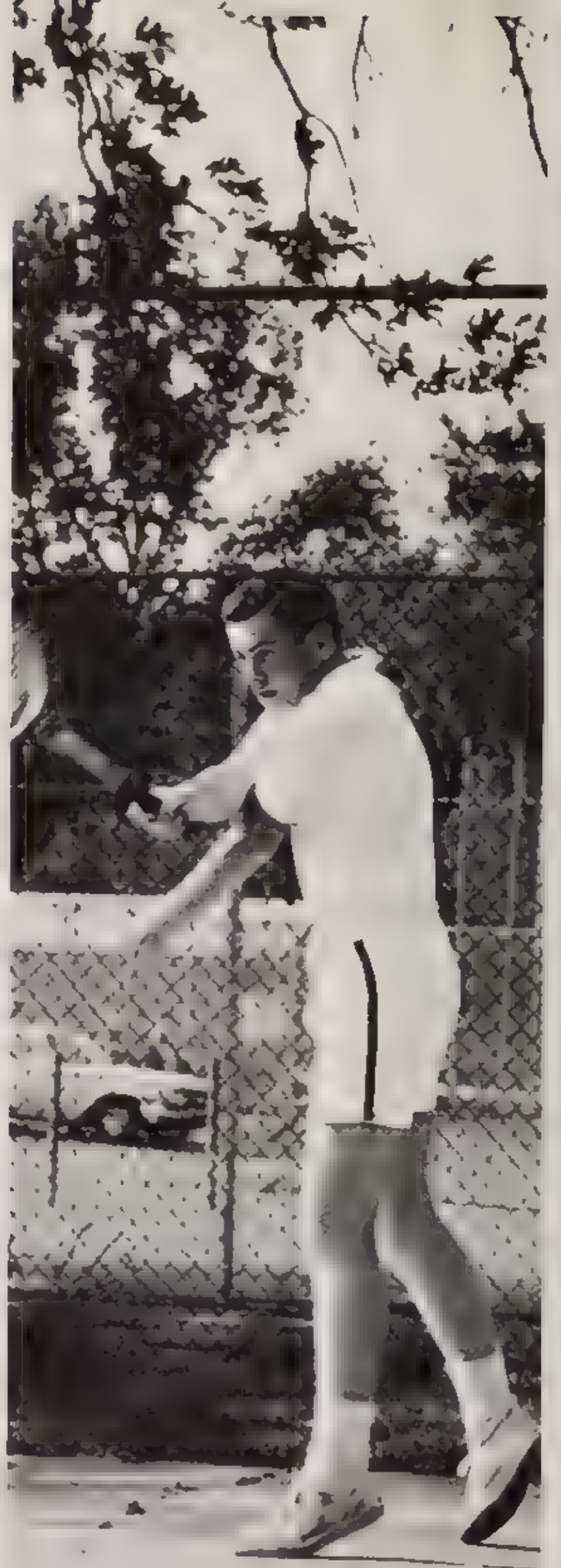








Jerry Ringler



Richard Northway



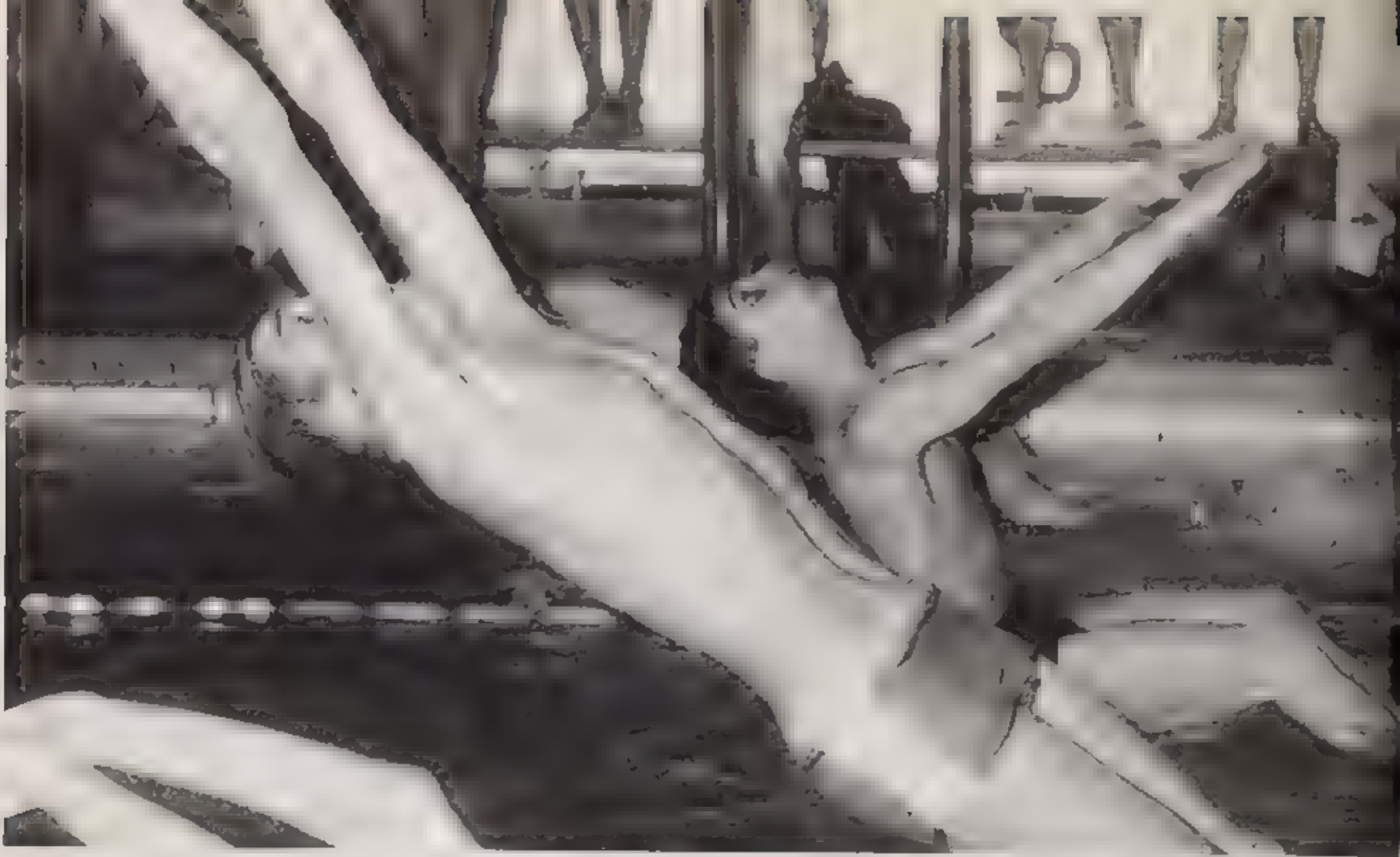


Richard Presley

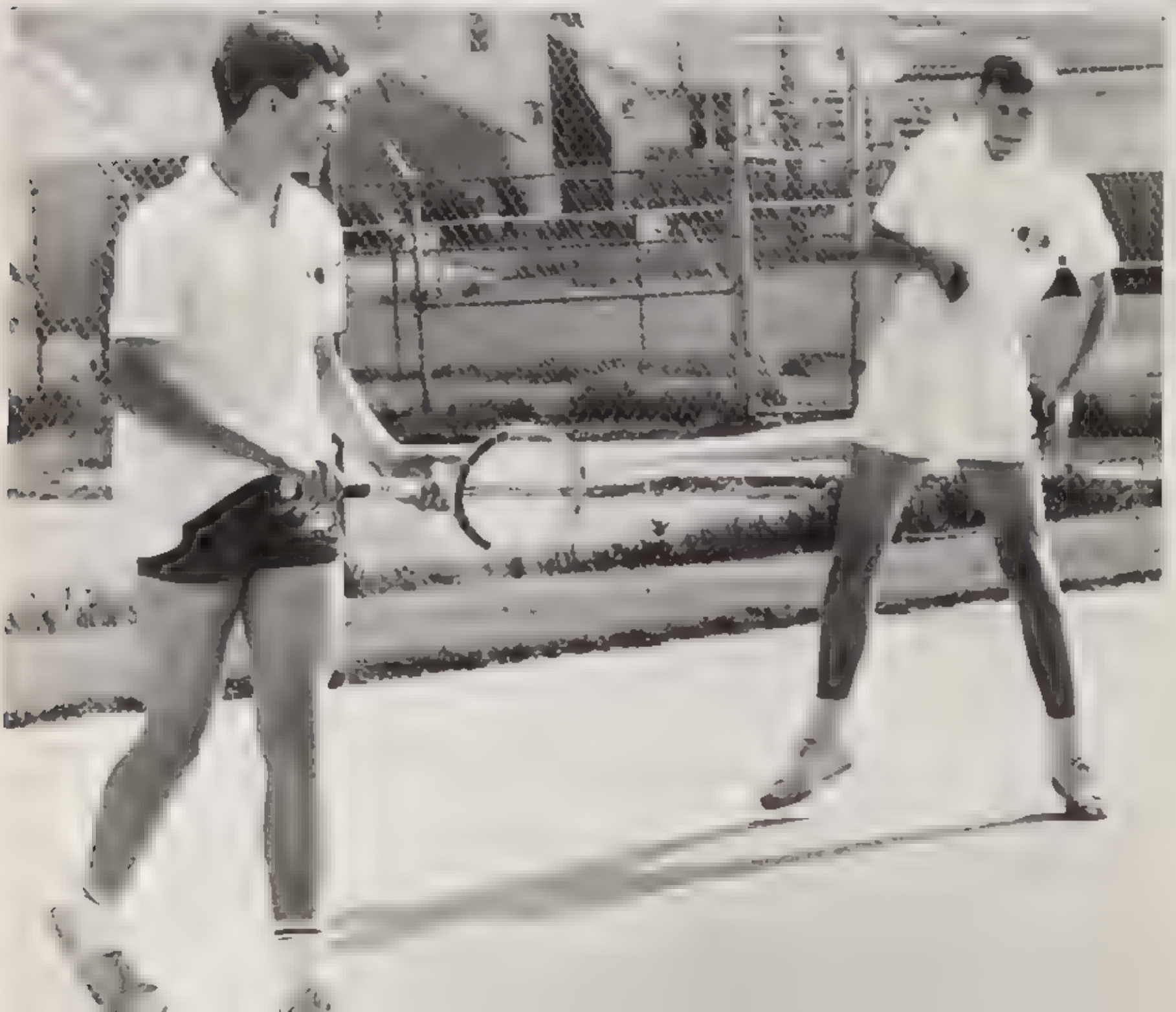
## Experience Lends Expectation

After a poor season last year of five wins and nine losses, the tennis team is looking forward to a more successful season. The team should make a strong showing, with experienced varsity lettermen Eric Bowman, Jerry Ringler, Richard Northway, Richard Presley, and Glenn Gross who are returning. Bob Mayer, Fred Karp, Howard Friedlander, Marc Meisner, Lee Gerletti, Dan Delsman, Ken Kline, Mark Maltzer and Mike Travis are also expected to see action this year. Once again Mr. Al Sing will coach the team. Though having trouble in its regular meets last year, defeating only Waterford Kettering, Kimball, and Highland Park the team looked very strong in Regionals, finishing in second place both times. It is hoped that Dondero will come through this year.





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## Glimpse at RO JV's

Dondero's Junior Varsity serves as a training period for the future Varsity teams. Our Freshman teams, especially, exhibited strength in setting a new basketball record by winning 14 games and losing one. The Freshman football team showed a 6-1 record.

The basketball team averaged 57.8 points per game while the 9 players scored in double figures. Jerry Campbell led the Freshmen by averaging 15 points a game and pouring in 30 against Kimball.

The gridgers were led by Roger Duty and Keith Sanders. The defensive unit let up only 4 touchdowns during the season.

The J.V. also had a successful season. Mr. Wallace's tankers finished 8-4 and the Wrestlers 9-4 record is very promising. The Junior Varsity football team was a strong leader in the BCL, finishing with a 6-1 record.

*Junior Varsity swimmer Neil Moore pushes away from the wall in backstroke competition against Grosse Pointe, at upper left. Fred Karp and John Goldman play a set at lower left. Above, Joe Van Waggoner attempts to cut around the corner as tacklers pursue him*





George A. Dondero, for whom Dondero High was named, was the first president of a Senior class.



# Senior Trip Is Fun Even in Basement

**The** Senior trip is one of the focal points of the Senior year. In past years many Seniors belonged to the Washington Club, "earning our way to Washington and having fun doing it," which worked as a group to raise the money for the trip. Countless boxes of soap, jello, Christmas cards, bread, canned fruit and vegetables, tons of magazines and newspapers were sold to or collected from unsuspecting residents of Royal Oak.

In 1921, all cooking was done on oil stoves. One day a driver, slightly inebriated, filled his truck with a mixture of kerosene and gasoline, which, if lighted in the burners of the stoves, would explode. Senior class to the rescue! Wakened early on a bitter morning, they were given leaflets to distribute to all homes, warning them not to light their stoves until the situation was corrected.

The oil company paid the Seniors, adding more money for the trip. Finally the big day arrived. An early class had Mr.

Dondero for a guide through the capital. A highlight of one tour was in a dim sub-basement of the War Department.

After passing around a brown fragment and a small piece of rope, the Seniors were told that these articles were a piece of Abraham Lincoln's skull and a few inches of the rope which hung one of the conspirators against Lincoln.

On another eventful trip, a train with two cars of lively Seniors pulled into the Harrisburg Station about 5:45 in the morning. Tom Starr and "Dutch" Hollinger went exploring during the two-hour layover. In the capitol, they found the governor's office open and, inviting themselves in, they wrote their girls letters using the governor's stationery. Racing back to the station too late, they could see the train pulling out, their classmates beckoning frantically. Arriving in Washington a few hours late they took on the Washington Monument. Climbing the 898 stairs, they paused to gaze out one of the unbarred windows near the top when Dutch dropped his hat. Inquiring of a guard where it was, he said it had landed on government property surrounding the monument and they would have to get a pass before they could retrieve it. Obtaining the pass was easy enough but the climbing to the top of the monument again to get it countersigned by another official was rough!



*Above, the graduating class of 1910 poses with rose carriages and diplomas for both the boys and girls. At the right, the class of 1922 visits Mount Vernon, one of the historical markers of America. This was just one of the many places visited on the outskirts of Washington, D. C.*

# Early Classes Earn Way to New Horizon's

In 1903, Dondero's first graduating class consisted of four people, just enough to fill the positions of President, Vice-President, Secretary, and Treasurer. By 1910, the class grew to eleven graduates and continued to grow through the years.

One of the highlights of the senior year was the trip at the end of the year. The original idea of the senior trip was to be a broadening experience in the last year of high school. Such places as Gettysburg and Harrisburg were visited but the students chose Washington, D. C. frequently because it was the only time they could expect to get to the nation's capital.

Trips became more and more superfluous as the automobile became more common.

At first, the entire expense of the trip was raised through fund projects. Such items as raisins, candy, and shoe polish were sold. The Acorn office in room 303 was used as the Washington trip supply room and the total profit sometimes ran into thousands of dollars.

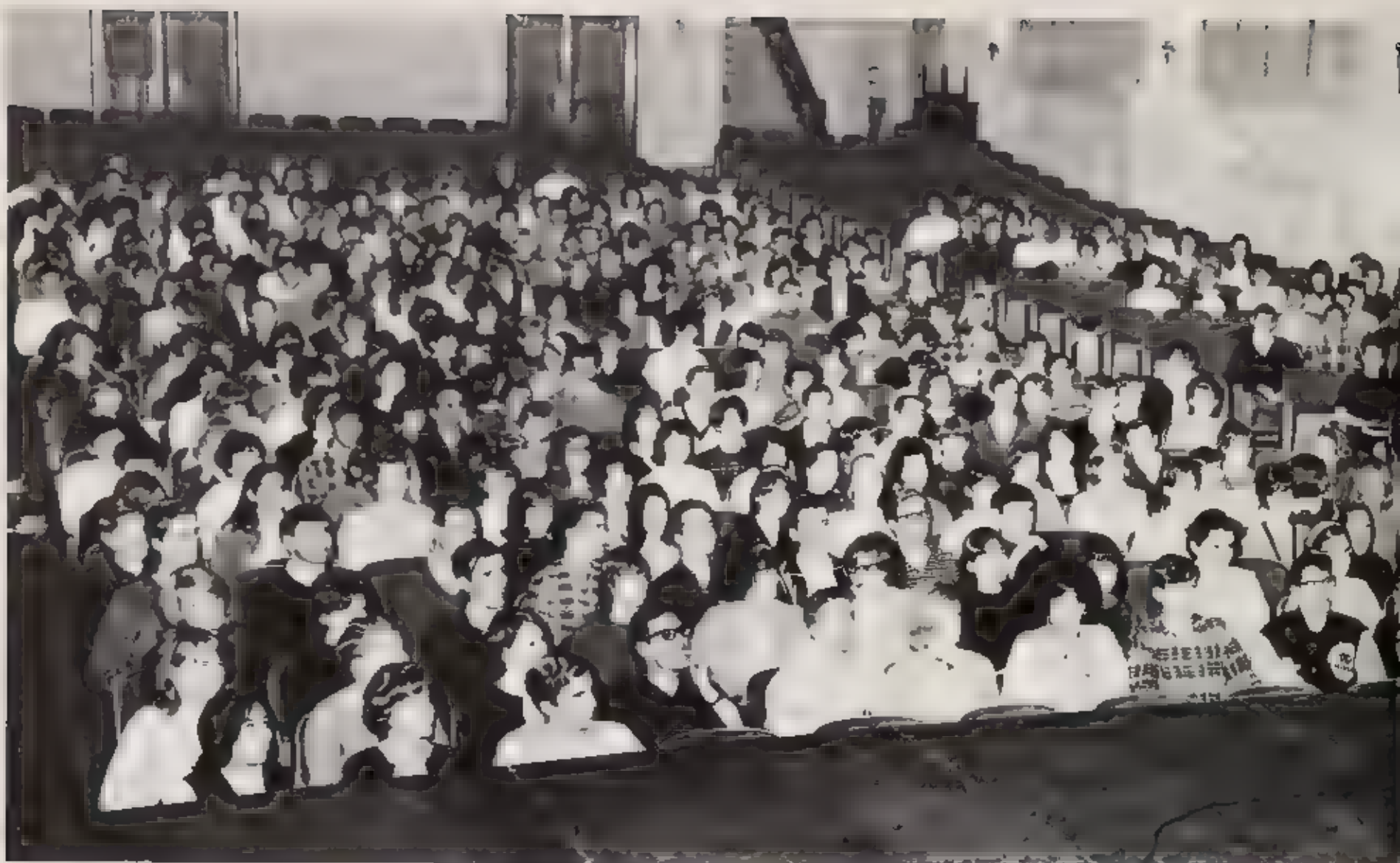
In the late 30's the trip became more of a pleasure — so much a pleasure that the treasurer walked off with the funds. The trip, discontinued, was restored again after World War II.



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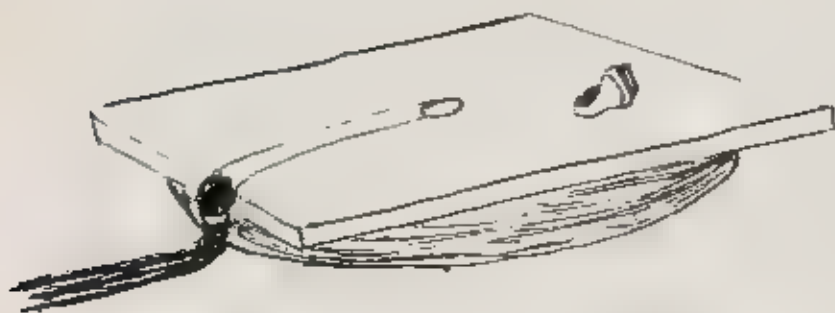


## Class of "66" One Hundredth to Leave Dondero

The 1966 graduating class numbers 565 students. The "66" class is the one hundredth to leave Dondero. Previously, Dondero held two graduations per year, one in January and one in June. This was discontinued in 1957.

The senior year is filled with many activities — Senior parties, reception, potluck, senior pictures, caps and gowns, rehearsals, and finally, graduation. The senior trip is one of the high points in these activities. The early senior trips were made to historical sites such as Washington, D. C., but after World War II, it seemed more appropriate, in view of the quickly dying passenger traffic on the Great Lakes, to charter a ship. For the past few years Dondero has chartered the S.S. South America, the last passenger ship on the Great Lakes. As the time passes, such trips will exist only in the memory of present day seniors.

Mackinaw has been the destination for Dondero's seniors for a number of years. Again, this year, they visited the island.





Right, the 1966 graduation class has an informal business meeting. The discussion includes plans for the senior trip and graduation exercises. Below, seniors relax on board the ship while they await the sighting of Mackinac Island. It is a thrill for many a senior.



# Quotations Borrowed From June '22 "OAK"

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Thomas Lowe, "Tom"

*"He hitches his wagon to a star,  
Then gets behind and pushes."*

Class President  
Acorn  
Chemistry Club  
National Honor Society



Nanci Kezlarian, "Nanci"

*"She's a quiet little bundle filled with  
fun,  
Tied with a good behavior ribbon  
that never comes undone."*

Class Vice-President  
National Honor Society



# Match Personalities Found in June '66 Officers

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Susan Casselman, "Susie"

*"With such a profile all that's lacking  
is a halo."*

Class Secretary  
Chemistry Club  
National Honor Society



BeVan Presley, "Van"

*"It is more profitable to burn midnight  
oil, than midnight gasoline."*

Class Treasurer  
Symphony Band  
National Honor Society

Roberta Aordal  
 Janis Adams  
 Lester Aeder  
 Judith Albain  
 Claude Albertson



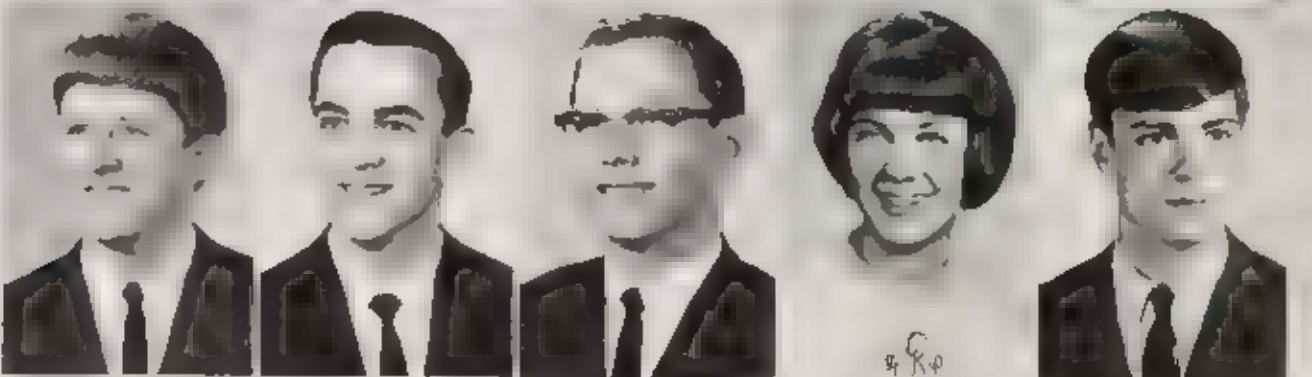
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 Janet Auten



Keith Averill  
 Kenneth Aydlott  
 Charles Bade  
 Glenda Baker  
 William Ballard



Brian Ballish  
 John Bambey  
 Nancy Bamsey  
 Lewis Bingham  
 Andrew Barbas



James Barker  
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 Kathleen Bastuba  
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 Mary Bedor



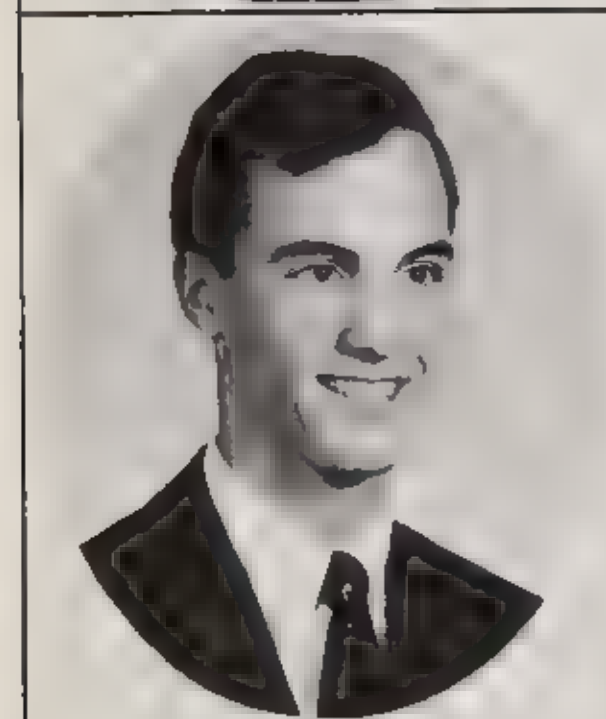
# Four Valedictorians Head List of Student Honors



JEANNE MCTAVISH, "Jeanne"

*"Character is a diamond that scratches every other stone."*

Valedictorian 4.000



ERIC BOHMAN, "Rick"

*"Knowledge is power"*

Valedictorian 4.000



ROBERT MAYER, "Bob"

*"There is not a moment without some duty"*

Valedictorian 4.000

Dondero Seniors have received many honors and awards through the past four years. The highest honor of having a 4.0 average through high school was won this year by four students. The valedictorians are Eric Bohman, Susan LaMothe, Robert Mayer, and Jeanne McTavish; Elizabeth Buhman, is the salutatorian of the class

Along with these honors, Elizabeth Buhman also received a scholarship to attend Smith College for Women for the next four years. Eric Bohman was one of nineteen from Michigan and the only one from Dondero to win the Michigan English Teachers writing contest.



SUSAN LAMOTHE, "Sue"

*"Wisdom comes to no one by chance"*

Valedictorian 4.000



ELIZABETH BUHMAN, "Liz"

*"Talent is your calling"*

Salutatorian 3.909





## Romans Play for Class of '65 in Ethereal Athens

Using the theme of Ethereal Athens, the Class of 1966 decorated the school cafeteria for the Senior Prom. From nine to twelve p.m. on June 11, 1965 a Mediterranean atmosphere was created by Grecian murals and a waterfall on the patio. Various phases of Greek life were represented in pictures which made the theme more apparent.

Approximately two hundred couples attended the prom, marking one of the last formalities of high school before the commencement exercises. The Jerry Romans Orchestra played for the occasion and the music was enjoyed by the seniors and their dates. A diamond pendant and a pearl necklace were given away as door prizes in a drawing.



*Below right, Leonard Convasser escorts Judy Berry. Below left, Nanci Kezlarian accompanies Mel Buhr.*





Betty Beer  
Steve Beerbohm  
Sharon Bell  
Gregory Bemister  
Susan Bennett



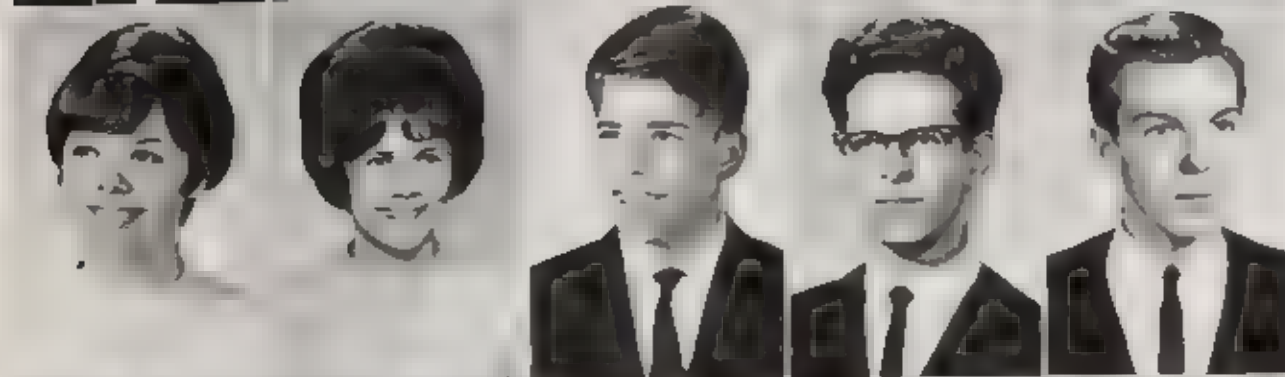
Lynn Bera  
Barbara Beres  
Jane Berryman  
Charles Billips  
Mary Birge



Peggy Birge  
Richard Bishop  
Richard Blake  
Robert Blankenship  
Laurence Blumberg



William Bloom  
Nancy Boardman  
Carol Boggs  
Eric Bohman  
Veralee Boha



Claudia Bolyard  
Linda Bonne  
Clifford Bowman  
Michael Bowring  
Jim Boyer



Ray Brantley  
Barbara Brim  
Sharon Brinkel  
Judith Bro  
Judith Brooks

## City Seven Step Out

On Monday, January 14, seven seniors took part in Royal Oak's Student Government Day. City Commissioners Jim Matyunas and Al Rightler; City Inspector, Mary Stump; City Clerk, Margie Kaatz; City Engineer, Pete Tomka; Planning Director, Rick Bishop and City Treasurer, Donna Sproles spent the day with their respective city officers.

The day began with a tour of the city buildings and then lunch at the Elk's Club. In the afternoon they learned about their jobs and the procedures of running the city. A mock trial was held with students from St. Mary's presiding.

At the City Commission meeting in the evening the student commissioners presented solutions to a recreational activity problem they had been given to think over during the day. The day ended with the student officials attending the regular commission meeting.

*City Commissioner, Jim Matyunas, with his counterpart, Vern Horne, discuss the question of the city's recreational facilities (right), while Al Rightler, Mary Stump, Donna Sproles, Margie Kaatz, and Rick Bishop walk to the future (below). Not shown is Pete Tomko, City Engineer*







Judy Brooks  
Shirley Brooks  
Gail Browe  
Charles Brown  
Mary Brown



Raymond Brown  
Robert Bruce  
Martha Bryant  
Robin Bryant  
Elizabeth Buhman

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Patrick Buhr  
Glenn Burdick  
Bonnie Burton  
Bonita Busch  
Judith Butler



Cathy Caldwell  
Claudia Campbell  
David Campbell  
James Campbell  
Ann Cannell



Michael Cantin  
Dennis Carlson  
Ingrid Carlson  
William Carpenter  
Terry Cassidy



Susan Casselman  
Helmut Cerino  
Robert Chapman  
Paul Charter  
Linda Clapham

John Clark  
Melva Clark  
John Clement  
Andrew Clissold  
Bruce Cobb



Carol Cole  
Ronald Cole  
Roger Collin  
Kathryn Collins  
Thomas Collins



Linda Colombo  
Susan Colson  
Kathleen Conley  
Paul Conley  
Mark Conte



Jaanne Corfield  
John Coughlin  
Kathleen Coulton  
Gary Courtors  
Cheryl Cawley

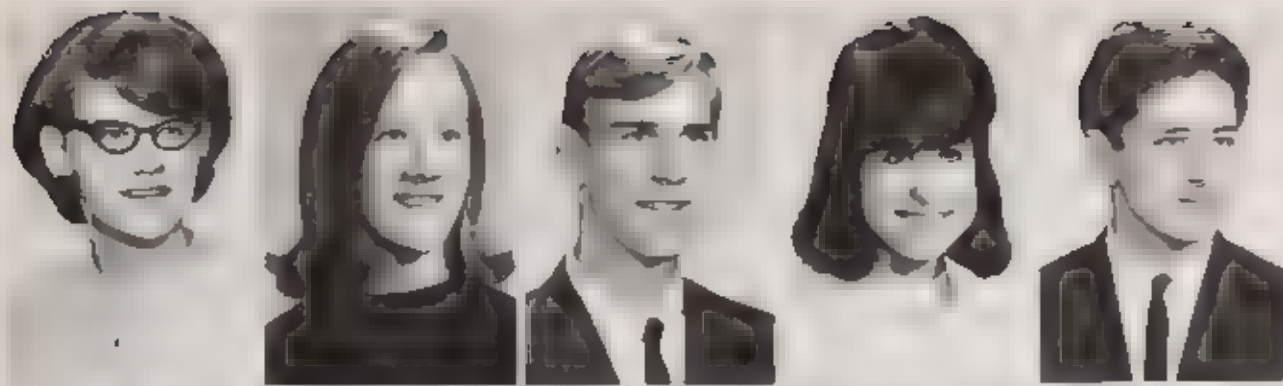


Marc Crandall  
Martha Crawford  
Douglas Crenshaw  
Jan Crossman  
Bonnie Crow



Frances Cuneaz  
Lana Daniels  
Karen Davis  
Ray Davis  
Sandra Davis





Diana Davison  
Susan Dawkins  
Douglas Day  
Billie Deine  
Robert DeJulius



Tom Delehant  
Richard Dembroski  
Douglas Dennis  
Lynn Dennis  
Michelle Derkaz

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Richard DeVos  
Donnie Dishman  
Jeanne Dreher  
Diane Dresselhouse  
David Drexler



David Drouillard  
Judith Drury  
Paul Durbin  
John Dyda  
Gerald Earls



Christopher Eckerson  
Sandra Edgin  
Judith Edwards  
Lawrence Edwards  
Veronica Edwards



Charles Eisenhart  
Larry Engel  
Charles Ephlin  
Patricia Evans  
Kaye Falconer





## Planes, Cycles, and Thumbs Expand Learning

Last summer eight Dondero seniors spent time travelling. Seven were in Europe and one, Rick Bohman, visited our fiftieth state, Hawaii. Those in Europe were Tom Lowe, Pat Poff, Bonnie Burton, Joanne Keckonen, Phil Risko, Bill Ogden, and Roger Speidel.

Phil's trip was the most unique of all. He hitchhiked through Scandinavia, Germany, Austria, Italy, France, and England. He stayed occasionally at youth hostels or small inns but usually slept in a ditch along the road.

Lambretta motorcycles carried Bill Ogden and Roger Speidel over 4200 miles of western Europe and England. Joanne Keckonen spent the second semester of her junior year in Italy and visited England.

Youth for Understanding sponsored Tom Lowe and Bonnie Burton for two months in Holland. Both stayed with Dutch families in the Netherlands. Pat Poff spent the summer with her aunt and uncle sightseeing in and around London.

*Above, Rick Bohman examines a monument accompanying the Bishop's Archeological Museum in Honolulu, Hawaii, which serves all the Polynesian Islands. Tom Lowe visits the National Open-Air Museum in Arnhem, the Netherlands.*





Patricia Fallis  
Linda Fangert  
Christine Fara  
Mary Farough  
Gerome Feig



Thomas Fetherlin  
David Fettes  
James Field  
Patricia Finn  
Patricia Flatt

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Edwin Flemming  
James Flemming  
Charles Flood  
Thomas Forti  
Linda Foster



Richard Fox  
Robert Frank  
Kenneth Frantz  
Laura French  
Glenn Frey



Howard Friedlaender  
Christine Fritsch  
Daniel Frohardt  
Harriet Gagliard  
Douglas Garfield



Barbara Gates  
Robert Gauthier  
Carol Gavin  
Glenn Gebhardt  
Joan Gentry



## Hundreds Sell Early

Football season for self-elected seniors began a week before the first home game against Ferndale. At a senior class meeting volunteers signed up to sell bagels and peanuts during the games. Given pink slips on the Wednesday before, they had to arrive at 7:00 on game day and sales began at 7:30. Pairs worked up in the stands one with the box and the other handling the money. Other seniors worked under the stands selling hot chocolate, coffee, and pop. Sales grossed \$500 on 7200 bagels.

The crowd was also busy on those sometimes beautiful, sometimes wet nights. The section under the press box was best known as the senior section. At each game the seniors could depend on Dick Paull and his "Cass Tech Beanie".



*Cheers resound from the enthusiastic senior section*







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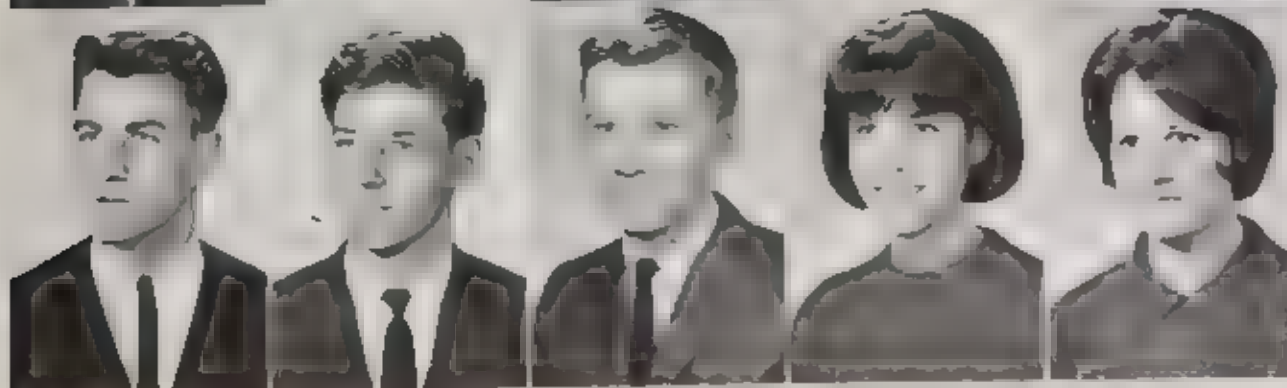
Senior cheerleader Sue Bennett stimulates the crowd  
(above) while bagels are sold by Richard Fox (at left).



Karen Gerow  
Robert Griddings  
Susan Gold  
Kathleen Gonscak  
Carol Gordon



Robert Goring  
Alice Grady  
Levaughn Gray  
Linda Greenway  
Linda Grennan



David Grey  
Donald Gridley  
Ronald Griffith  
Diane Gross  
Eva Sue Gulley

Joan Gussin  
Gail Hallman  
Kathleen Halsig  
Diane Hammer  
Miles Hancock



Ralph Haney  
Gail Hardenbergh  
Anne Harris  
Lynda Harris  
Harry Hartjen



Sara Hartwell  
Susan Hatherly  
Linda Hauka  
Vicki Hayden  
Janice Hayes



Betsy Hecht  
Nancy Hengel  
Beat Heuberger  
Janet Hicks  
Richard Hietikka

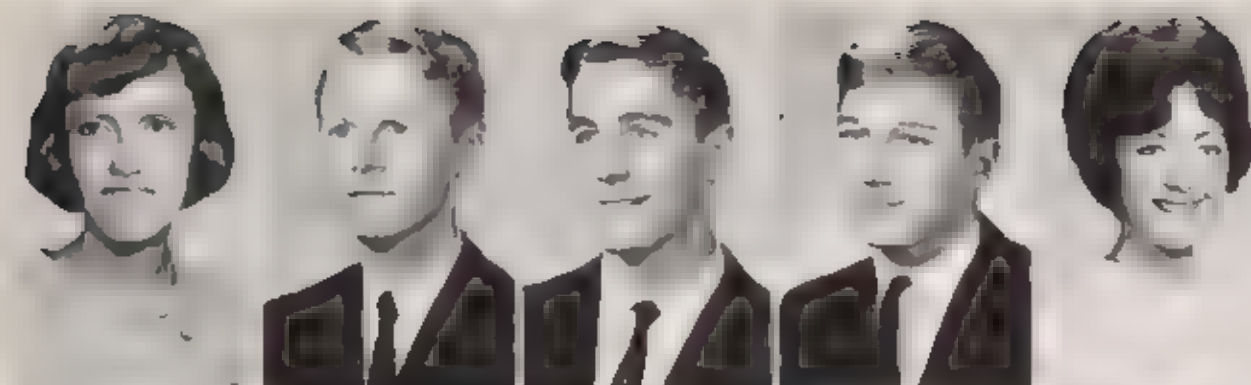


Marjorie Hipskind  
Patricia Hoffman  
Lynda Hoffmaster  
Ellen Holas  
Janis Holmes



Mary Jo Holmes  
Judy Hoover  
Robert House  
Michael Huber  
Charles Hudson





Phyllis Huke  
Michael Hutto  
Richard Isenberger  
Richard Iwanski  
Gail Jackson



Emily Jennings  
Richard Jennings  
Shirley Johns  
Walter Johnson  
Jeffery Jones



Robert Jordan  
Mary Julien  
Wayne Julka  
Angela Jurgelonis  
Marjorie Kautz

**Exchange Students** number two in Dandera this year. Beat Heuberger, our AFS student from Switzerland, stayed with Keith Averill. Fanny Kazarez came in December from Uruguay to stay with Claudia Arrandale. Beat was a very active student, swimming on the Varsity team, running track and belonging to the AFS, ski and RO clubs. Fanny participated in the annual girls' basketball game, playing guard on the Senior team. She also portrayed one of the fowl in the play The Birds.

Fanny Kazarez





# Tradition Ends in Despair

October 25 was a day of despair for Seniors and one of ecstasy for the Juniors, for it seems that the Juniors managed by some quirk of fate to win the 3rd (and last) Annual Powder Puff Game 18 12

It was a hard fought game with the underclassmen going ahead when Heather Larcher galloped 45 and 70 yards for two touchdowns. Cathy Lawson plowed 18 yards for the other one. Senior touchdowns were scored by Judy Mattern and Mary Jo Porter on runs of 35 and 75 yards respectively. Senior, Lynn Bera also carried for long gains.

The coaches worked hard for the game, almost as hard as the girls and they too deserve thanks and recognition. Senior coaches were Bob Sheldon, Dan Samuels, Al Kracher, and Mickey Westmoreland. Three of the Senior cheerleaders used their own hair, Roger Speidel, Phil Risko, and Steve Klix while the other three donned wigs, Tom Ochs, captain, Chuck Kinney, and Brian Katcher. The Junior coaches were Rob Zins, Tom Caron and Ken Perkins.

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Lawrence Karabelski Candance Karwacki Joanne Keckonen  
John Karol Brian Katcher Dorothy Keefer  
Sally Karrer Fanny Kazarez Barbara Keem



Cheerleader, Brian Katcher, consoles player, Judy Mattern (above).



Virginia Keiser  
Michael Kelley  
Linda Kelly  
Patricia Kelly  
William Kennedy



Nanci Kezlarian  
Gary Kincannon  
Pamela Kingsley  
Charles Kinney  
Paul Kirsch



Craig Klaver  
James Kline  
Stephen Klix  
Lynn Klungler  
Virginia Knight

*The Senior girls cheer for their team as they anxiously wait on the sidelines for their turn to play.*





William Konrad  
Alan Kracker  
Leonard Krass  
Kimberly Kroll  
David Kuschel



Jean La Fountain  
Mary Laich  
Gary Laight  
Susan Gail LaMothe  
William Lantz



Joann Lapain  
Janet Lapain  
Robert Lauzon  
Michael Law  
David Lawrence



John Lederer  
Linda Lefavre  
Donna Lentz  
Mary Lincoln  
Leslie Lindell



William Lindsey  
Mary Long  
Ray Loop  
Thomas Lowe  
Sandra Lucas



Cynthia Lusebrink  
Sandra Major  
William Mann  
Karen Marchessault  
Vincent Marisco







## Diaper Go Meets Red

Soap, shampoo, diapers, and toys were abundant in Dondero's cafeteria on December 14, 1965 for they were a major part of the senior Christmas party. These items, used for admission, were sent to Vietnamese orphans along with approximately \$30.

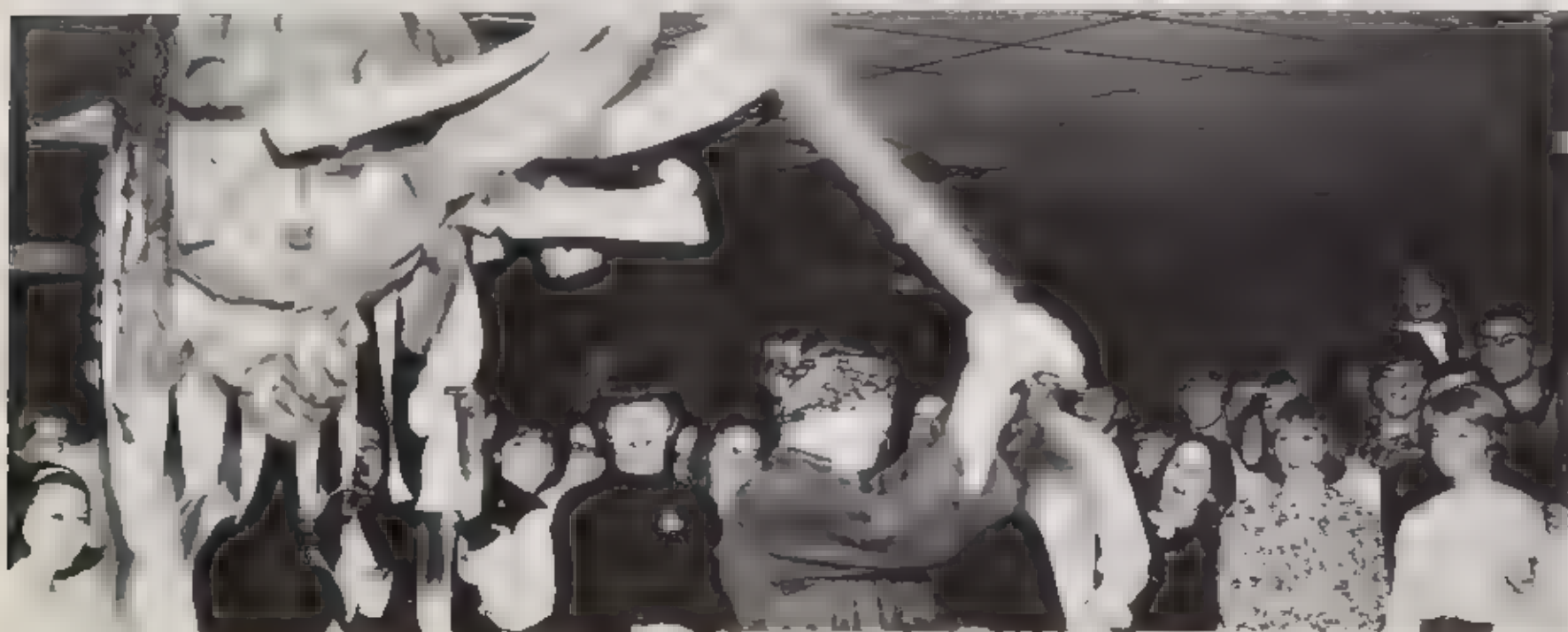
The party was a huge success. Two candy filled pinatas were hung from the ceiling. Three seniors, Judy Brooks, Claude Albertson and Dave Parent were chosen in a drawing to break it. Old records were played and a mystery guest, clad in red, was presented.

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*Dick DeVos and Judy Mattern sing to old records at the Christmas party*

*Mary Stump finds Santa useful in regard to Rich Blake.*



# Parents Swarm for Refreshments



*The Modern Folk Trio, composed of Dick DeVos, Bill Kicker and Jim Phillips, entertained at the Senior Reception.*



*Martin Markiewicz  
Sherwin Marks  
Marilyn Masinda  
Judith Matters  
Carole Matthews*



*James Matynas  
John Mayack  
Robert Mayer  
Charles McArthur  
Nancy McCalden*



*Vicki McGlone  
Ranold McLean  
Cheryl McMahon  
Lynn McRobb  
Jeanne McTavish*





Parents (left) enjoy refreshments served by Juniors Linda Kipp and Heather Larcher after the Senior reception on November 15. A highlight of the evening was the Senior Reflections presented by Elizabeth Buhman and Richard Polk (above). The program began with the introduction of class officers and remarks by C. Allyn Robinson, senior class advisor. Other remarks given by Miss Viola Fischer and Stuart Skelly were interspersed with music by a string ensemble, The Modern Folk Trio and a vocal duet by Angie Weidlich and Beat Heuberger.



Steven Mead  
Robert Meadows  
Timothy Meek  
Nona Mendelsohn  
Barbara Metcalf



Carl Meyer  
Diana Michael  
Linda Miklik  
Maurice Miles  
Barbara Millard

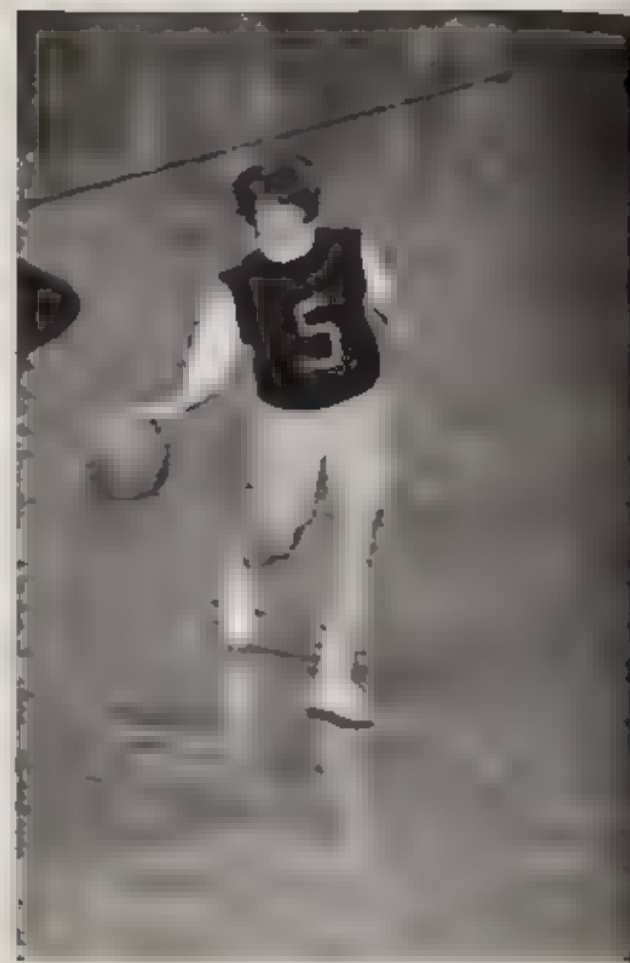


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Marilyn Miller  
Richard Miller  
Hanna Milliken  
Dennis Mobley

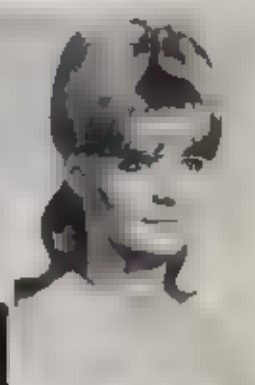




## Comeback Rally



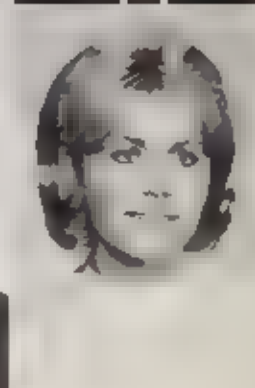
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David Monte  
Sandra Monte



Lynn Moore  
Phillip Moore  
Stephen Morgan  
Linda Morris  
Edward Muccino



Robert Muller  
Elizabeth Murray  
Stephen Murphy  
Thomas Murphy  
Suzanne Nagel



## Leaves Feminine Hoopsters One Down at Buzzer



On March 9 the Junior girls again proved to be better than the Seniors by winning the annual basketball game by the close score of 18-17. "Leapin' Larcher" was the Seniors downfall as she pumped in six points. Junior Terry Wood also scored six points while Marie Scherffius was the high scorer for the Seniors with five points.

The Seniors almost staged a comeback, after trailing 14-5 in the third quarter, to score 12 points and come within one point of winning.

The game was a fast moving, exciting one, which at times became a little confusing, especially for Senior Pat Fallis when she grabbed the ball and dribbled down the court — the wrong way!

The coaches worked hard getting the forty girls on each team ready to play. Senior coaches were Dan Samuel, Phil Preston, and Bob Shedlon. Junior coaches were Bill Orasz, John Rehbine and Bob Zins.

*Above left, seniors are overjoyed after making a basket  
Left, coach Dan Samuel gives the girls a pep talk.*

Donna Naismith  
Darlene Nancarrow  
Laura Nawracki  
Dolores Nelson  
Patricia Nicholai



Glen Nicholson  
Linda Niksa  
Ronald Noble  
Richard Northway  
Harry Nowak



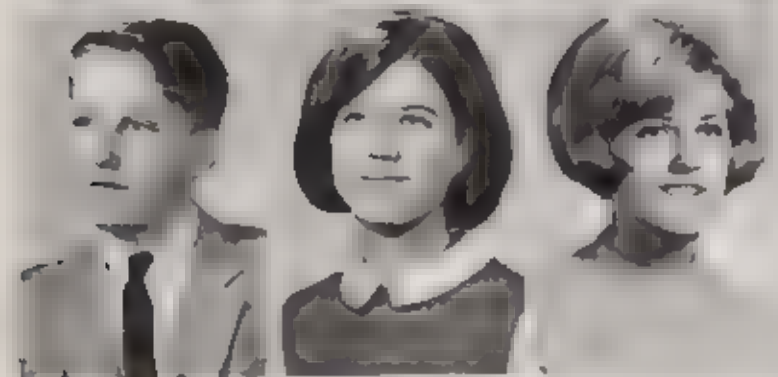
Julie Nyquist  
Tom Ochs  
William Ogden  
Edward O'Kroy  
Barbara Oleshansky



*Marc Crandall, Pithetaerus, has just asked the unwilling Leslie Roymer, the goddess Iris, to be his wife and the birds exclaim, "Hail Cloudcuckooland"*







David Ortopan  
Michael Quelfette  
Greg Paddock

Cathy Parent  
Chuck Parker  
Joanne Parrent

Dianna Patton  
Richard Paul  
Jill Pawlaczky



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Upper Right: Marc Crandall and Lee Whitaker came to the land of the birds to get away from poets like Bob Strauss. Above, Mr. McKier demonstrates.

## The Birds Drop in On Dondero

"The Birds are coming!" was the cry that could be heard all over Dondero for weeks, and on March 30 at 4:00, "The Birds" came and stayed through April 1.

"The Birds" is a Greek comedy written in 414 B.C. by the Playwright, Aristophanes. The reason a classic Greek play was chosen this year was because for years the teachers have been asking why "garbage comedies" with no educational value have been presented. So this year the drama club decided to do a play that had some history and culture to it.

The story concerns two men, Pithetaerus, Marc Crandall and Euelpides, Lee Whitaker, who go to Bruce Watson, as Epops, king of the birds, and ask for the help of the birds in building a wall to stop the smoke of sacrificial fires from reaching the gods. Therefore, they will control the universe.

Glenn Perkins  
 Donna Perrell  
 Joann Peters  
 Susan Peters  
 Janis Petersen



Pam Pezzino  
 Cheril Phillips  
 Ramona Pickens  
 Frederick Pike  
 Jane Pinkston



Patricia Poff  
 Donna Poland  
 Richard Polk  
 William Palkinghorn  
 Mary Jo Porter



Valerie Porter  
 Mary Portman  
 Francie Portnoy  
 Bevan Presley  
 Philip Preston



Sandra Preston  
 Allan Price  
 Gary Proas  
 Barry Ptak  
 Linda Randa



Joann Randall  
 Rick Rarogiewiez  
 Sandra Rehbine  
 Brian Reid  
 Susan Reid





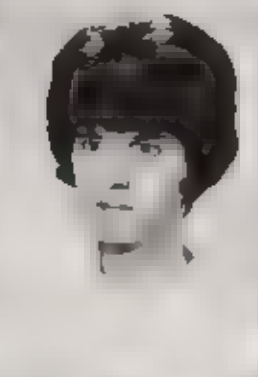
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Barbara Reno  
Robert Retelle  
John Reynolds  
Garel Rice



Gaya Richards  
Marilyn Richardson  
Ellen Richter  
Alvin Rightler  
Jerome Ringler



Philip Risko  
Terrance Rivett  
Pam Roberson  
Linda Roberts  
Bruce Robinson



Linda Robinson  
Barbara Rogers  
Catherine Rogers  
Donald Rogers  
Kenneth Rose



Joan Rubiner  
Judith Rudy  
John Samuels  
Diane Santa  
Susan Schaper



Marie Scherfius  
Jeannette Schnur  
Linda Schooley  
Peggy Schroeder  
Kenneth Schultz



Barbara Schulz  
Susan Schutt  
Donna Scott  
Gail Senecal  
Catherine Serdar



Mark Sevald  
Edward Sevel  
Karen Shaffer  
Barry Shannon  
Robert Sheldon



Wendy Shepard  
Robert Sherwin  
Dianne Showers  
Michael Showers  
Kathleen Simonelli



Sandra Simons  
Laurence Sinesio  
Harriet Singlet  
Carol Skelley  
Patricia Skonieczny



Dolores Sloan  
Dennis Smith  
Keith Smith  
Michael Smith  
Pamela Smith



Sue Smith  
Richard Snelling  
Beverly Snow  
Elaine Soderstrom  
Susan Sokol



## Seniors Have Circles of Fun at Square Parties

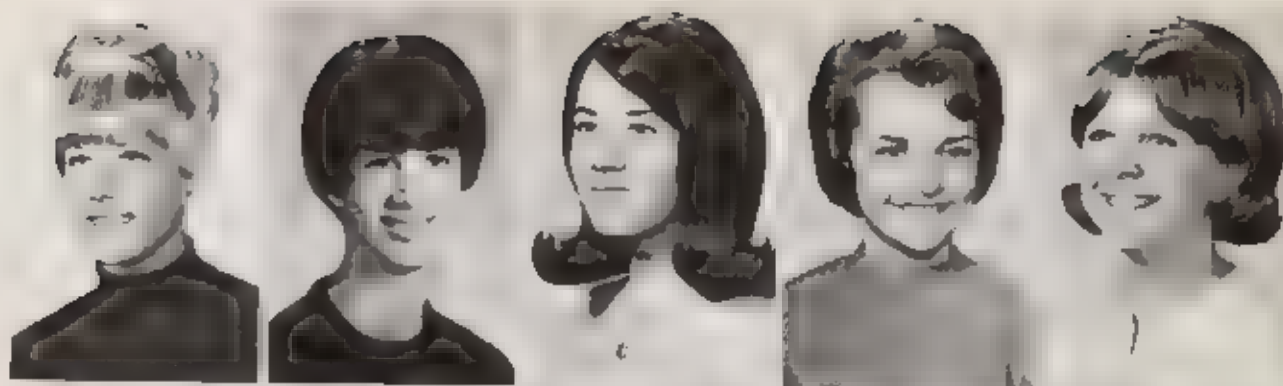


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Junior-Senior square dances are some of the most popular parties given during the year. The atmosphere is created by an experienced caller who tries to introduce new and different steps. "Swing your partner, Dasie-do, and Promenade left" are some of the familiar sounds heard during the evening. The dances last from 7 to 9 p.m. and admission is fifty cents. One of the main purposes is to help unite the two classes.

Barbara Sol  
Gail Soloman  
Barbara Solomon  
Linda Sonnenberg  
Julia Sorenson



Roger Speidel  
Donna Sproles  
Karen Squibb  
William Sroka  
John Stahl



Catherine Stanek  
Linda Stevens  
Barbara Stewart  
Marianne Stewart  
Mary Ellen Stimpson



Sharron Stuart  
Mary Stump  
Charles Sutton  
Richard Szurek  
Dawn Taliaferro



Susan Taylor  
Michael Tadder  
Nancy Tessoff  
Jayce Tevis  
John Thomas



Barbara Thompson  
Jean Tischler  
Eileen Titmuss  
Timothy Tolin  
Peter Tomko







Sharon Tompkins  
Diana Torrasi  
Linda Travinski  
Michael Travis  
Steven Trepeck



Roland Troike  
Janis Trupiano  
John Tsacoumangos  
Kim Turner  
Linda Turner



Linda Valuet  
Greg VanArsdel  
Louise VanBlarcom  
Valerie Vejack  
Kathleen Vial



Suzanne Vincent  
Jonet Vlackov  
Ruediger VonZittwit  
Janice Wagman  
Jean Wakefield



Carol Waldrop  
Linda Wassell  
Thomas Wayne  
Thomas Weed  
Angelika Weidlich



Sandy Welch  
Melania West  
Richard Westergard  
Lorraine Western  
William Westmoreland



# Paper 2,649 Mile Path-New York to Las Vegas



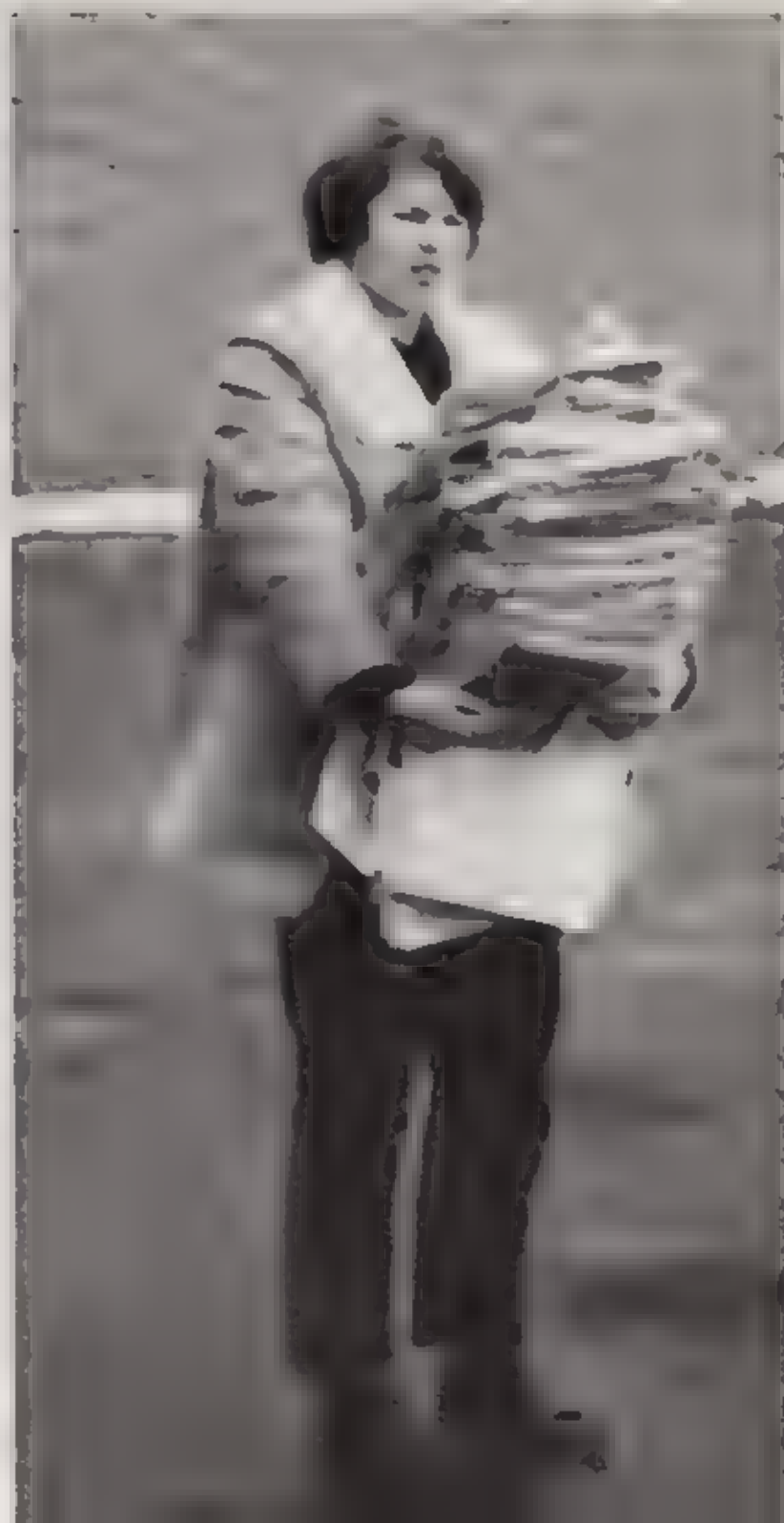
(Top left) Dennis Carlson, Sue Dawkins, Julie Nyquist, Nancy Boardman and Judy Mattern pass paper bundles along their "production line". (Bottom) Richard Smith stacks paper in the truck. (Above) Robin Bryant ties and (right) Janis Trupiano brings another load of paper.

On February 26, the Senior class held its annual paper drive. If all the paper collected was laid end to end it would stretch 2,649 miles or from New York to Las Vegas. On just this one day, 62,000 pounds of paper amounting to \$225 was collected. The money is used for a Junior class present.

As the cars came dragging in and out of the parking lot, the boys threw bundle after bundle until they filled two huge semi-trailers.

Senior class president, Tom Lowe, was the chairman and worked hard dividing the city into districts and finding district leaders. While seniors were out collecting newspapers, a few boys stayed back at the trucks. They tied and stacked all the papers that came in. To make things a little more interesting and to give the boys a little more incentive, Jon Crossman hung up pictures from a well known magazine for males.

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# Luck for the Big Pot

A great variety of food was abundant in Dondero's cafeteria February 16, 1966, when the Senior potluck took place. Homerooms were assigned meat dishes, salads, bread or dessert which they were to supply for the dinner. This event was a huge success and had the largest class participation of any of the other senior parties. Following the dinner, Mr. Robinson held a class meeting where he discussed the paper drive coming up and the last payment for the senior trip.



*Below left, Emily Jennings makes her decision while at the right, Mary Jo Porter looks in amazement.*

*Above right, Joyca Tevis, Donna Poland, and Linda Travinski discover dessert Joanne Corfield, Chuck Kinney, Gail Hardenburg and Claudie Arrandale go through the line*



Jean Wakefield, Carol Gordon,  
Ellen Richter, and Glenda Baker



Daniel Whipple  
Leander Whitaker  
Everette White  
Karen Whitefield  
Mary Whitefoot



Nancy Wilder  
Edward Williams  
Gary Williams  
Sarah Jane Williams  
Carolyn Wills



Bob Wilson  
Frances Wilson  
Linda Wilson  
David Wiss  
Donald Wiss



William Woodard  
Gary Woudstra  
Sandra Wright  
Robert Yaeger  
Susan Yentz



Sue Yerian  
Christine Young  
Marilyn Young  
Pam Young  
Wesley Youngblood



Cheryl Zdrozny  
Donald Zubeck  
John Hanna







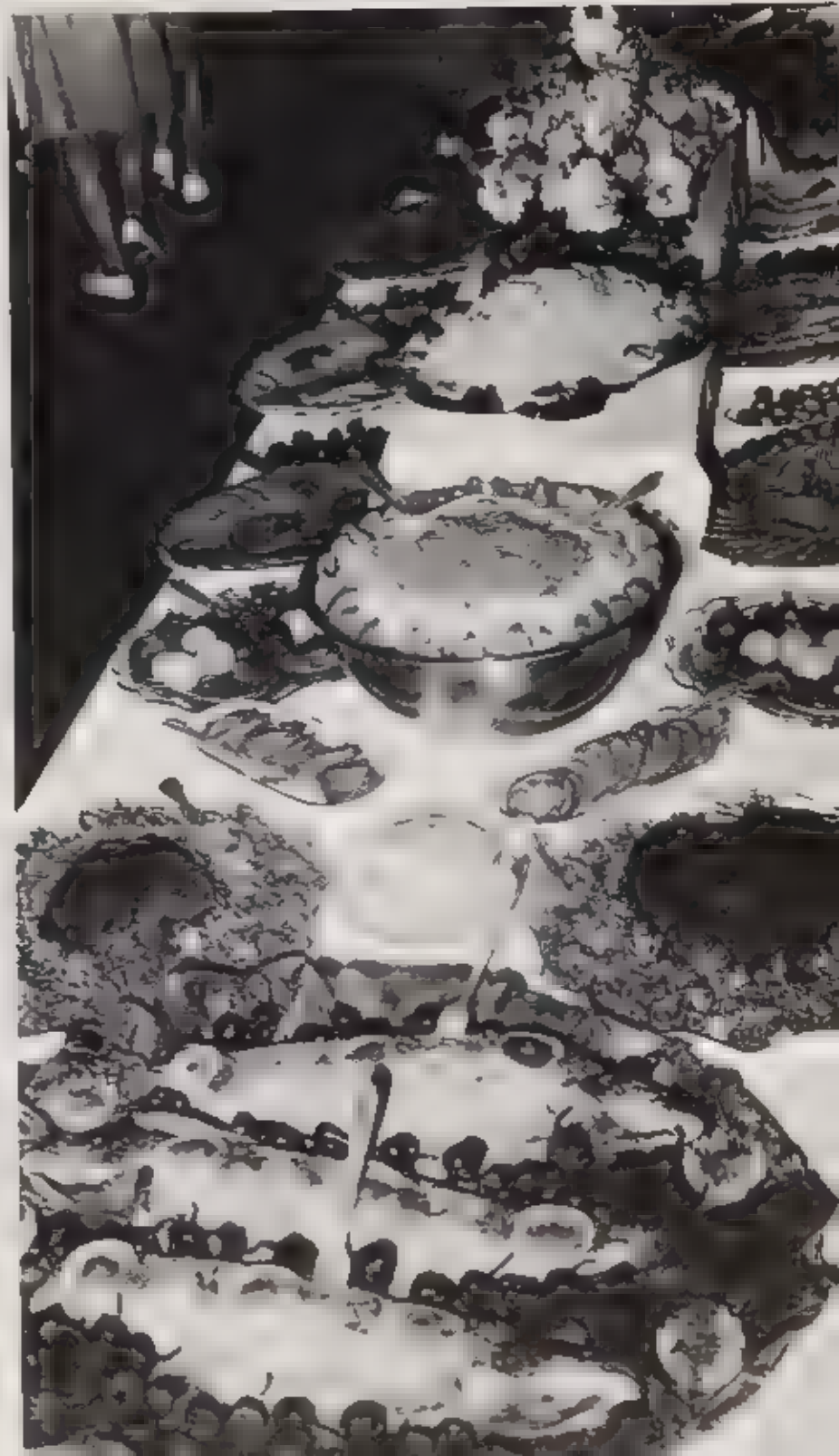
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*The last of a fleet of some forty Great Lakes passenger ships, the South America, steams for Mackinac Island, a sight soon to pass into history.*



## Senior Class Invades Island

"By the shores of Gitchegumee", better yet, the Detroit River, the 1966 Seniors departed on Saturday, May 21, for their class trip along with Senior homeroom teachers acting as chaperones. The S.S. South America docked at Mackinac Island on Sunday and the 300 Seniors enjoyed horseback riding and bicycling before returning to the ship for the "Captain's Dinner", and entertainment provided by "The Empacts" and Donderoites. The boat circled the island, passed under the bridge and headed for Detroit. The Seniors returned Monday at 3:30.





"The auditorium mural depicts a rich mixture of all sort and kinds of humanity."

# How True Were Those Seers of Yesteryears

**"What** do you expect to be when you grow up?" This is heard repeatedly during high school. The quotes and prophecies about a person may be very different from or surprisingly similar to the final product. For example, Dondero's principal, Mr. G. Bruce Feighner, Class Treasurer of June '38, was " . . . Tall, dark, handsome . . . studying for an operatic career . . . and future ages hear his growing fame". Another familiar face around school is "'O, what a rogue am I'", Richard Hursh of the June class of '43. Does "I could break a dozen hearts if I'd but try," sound like the Mayor Curtis Potter, class of '31? "He laughs himself into stitches," hardly sounds like a respected judge, Keith Leenhouts, June '43. Vernald Horn, June '22, now one of the city Commissioners, was seen in ten years in the "Horn Harmonizers" singing "Poker Chip Blues". Another Commissioner, Wallace F. Gabler, June '38, was to be Mayor of Royal Oak and initiate a "speak softly drive". Wally's quote reads, "Boy, it feels good to be great". Malcolm Heber, a lawyer, predicted to become a member of a "nudist camp . . . was discontented". "Jim" Thorburn, June '36, a former lawyer now an Oakland County judge was to be one of a team of "Nit Wit Comedy". Attorney for the School Board, James Hartrick, January '41, was expected to be "another Knute Rockne". From the medical field is "Jimmie" Mullam, May '35, Assistant Chief Surgeon at a New York Osteopathic Hospital. His quote read, "All great Men are dead/and I feel faint myself". "Jim" Sullivan, of Sullivan Funeral Homes, President of the class of '26, was to have committed suicide when "Dr." Clif Rock put his undertaking establishment out of business. Representing the hierarchy of the military is Brigadier General Howard Penney, at the Pentagon. His future in '35 was seen as, "Howard Penney, the male menace of the screen, the villain who sends shivers up and down thousands of spines, is sueing his wife for throwing raw oysters at him . . ." This school also graduated "Doc" Maynard Morrison, an All-American in '27; Herbert Gross, was the student with the highest IQ ever graduated. Tom Hayden, '57, whom *Esquire* labeled "troublemaker," went in January of this year, to Hanoi, North Vietnam, with two others in a private peace venture. The past graduating classes have been a rich mixture of all sorts and kinds of humanity, as they are today and shall remain.



# Frosh Counted Largest Class To Enter Dondero

## CLUB ABBREVIATIONS

American Field Service — AFS  
American Youth Hostels — AYH  
Art Club — Art  
Audio Visual — AV  
Baseball — VBase., JVBase.  
Basketball — VBask., JVBask.  
Cheerleading — JV Cheer.  
Concert Band — CB  
Creative Writing Club — CWC  
Cross Country — CC  
Debate — Debate

Football — VFoot., JVFoot.  
Future Nurses — FNA  
Future Teachers — FTA  
Girl's Athletic Association — GAA  
Girl's Choir — GCh.  
Girl's Glee Club — GGlee  
Golf Team — Golf  
Key Club — Key  
Latin Club — Latin  
Library Staff — Lib  
Modern Dance Club — MD  
Orchestra — Or

R.O. Club — RO  
Senate — Sen.  
Student Advisory Council — SAC  
Swimming Team — Swim.  
Symphony Band SyB.  
Tennis Team — Tennis  
Track Team — Track  
Varsity Band — VB  
WOAK — WOAK  
Wrestling Team — Wrest.  
Y-Teens — Y-Teens  
Club Officer — \*

Adamson, Karen  
Adams, Donald  
Allan, James  
Allan, Michael VB, SAC, MDC  
Allen, Catherine  
Allen, Joyce

Allyn, Sherriel  
Amburgey, David  
Anderson, James  
Anderson, Robert  
Amell, Janice MDC  
Annal, Susan SAC

Asman, Peggy GAA  
Attis, Lynda  
Auer, Mike  
Aulph, Mary GAA  
Ault, Mark  
Aydott, Theresa

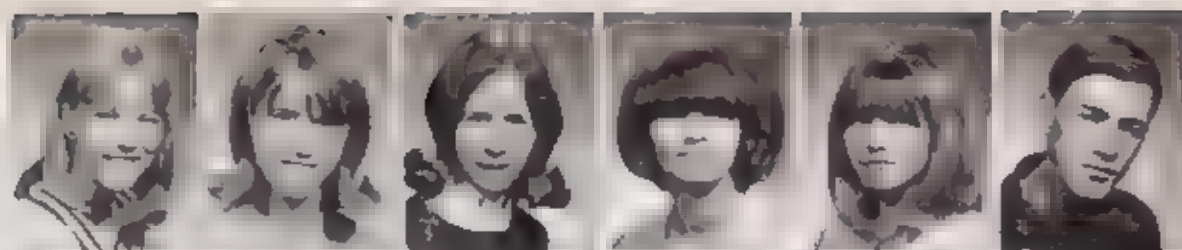
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Ballard, Denise  
Banbury, Roy  
Bangham, Nancy  
Banghart, Alan

Barbas, Nancy SAC  
Barnes, April  
Barnes, Eric  
Barnes, Jim  
Barrett, Judith  
Barron, Howard Wrest.



Barton, Gale  
 Bastian, Kit  
 Baugh, Pam GAA  
 Bearden, Elwayne  
 Bedard, Christine GAA  
 Bedont, Tom



Beebe, Todd  
 Bek, Linda  
 Belger, Connie  
 Bennet, Gwen  
 Billips, Phillip  
 Birdsall, Alan



Birge, Diana  
 Bishop, Robert  
 Bloom, Edward  
 Blumberg, Jeanne  
 Blunden, Richard  
 Bobbish, Deanna Lib.



Badendorra, Katherine  
 Boevig, Henry  
 Bogner, Lynda GAA  
 Bonfield, Sally Lib.  
 Boone, Fred  
 Bowen, Debbie



Bowers, Doug  
 Bowman, Wayne SAC  
 Boyd, Gloria GAA  
 Brandt, Tom  
 Brannack, Paul VB  
 Branzei, Jim



Braum, Catherine  
 Brigman, Maureen  
 Britton, Norma  
 Britton, Sunday  
 Brouhard, John  
 Brower, Nancy



Brown, Karen  
 Buea, Tom  
 Bryant, Mary  
 Buchanan, Richard  
 Buddy, Linda  
 Budman, Elizabeth



Budry, William Lib.  
 Burkle, Hartmuth  
 Busey, Stephenie  
 Caddy, Diana GAA  
 Caldwell, David AV  
 Caldwell, Vicki



Collahan, Debbie  
 Cameron, Jerry  
 Campbell, Amy FNA  
 Campbell, Paul VB  
 Cannon, Donna  
 Connel, Keith





Canvasser, Paul A.V., Ski, S.A.C  
 Carlisle, Mary FN, Or., Ski  
 Carlson, Dorella  
 Caron, Ken Ffoot  
 Carr, Gerald  
 Carson, Dave C.B.

Cavanaugh, Kathleen G.A.A.  
 Caza, Ron Or.  
 Ceasar, Kathy SyB., G.A.A.  
 Chapman, Cheryl  
 Cheek, Cheryl G.A.A.  
 Chilcull, Mike

Chind, Mary  
 Churchill, John Lib.  
 Clark, Linda G.A.A.  
 Clark, Sue  
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 Clissold, Lynn G.A.A.

Cocaran, John  
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 Collins, Sandy  
 Conley, Gail

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Crow, Mary  
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 Curtis, Becky, M.D.  
 Curtis, Douglas A.V.

Daley, Gerald  
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Davis, Vernon S.A.C  
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 Dawson, Brenda  
 Dayton, Nedra G.A.A.  
 Delehant, Laura Y-Teens, S.A.C.  
 Demeske, Tom SyB.





Dennisick, Nancy F.N.  
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 DiMusto, Rachel

Dinsmore, David C.B.  
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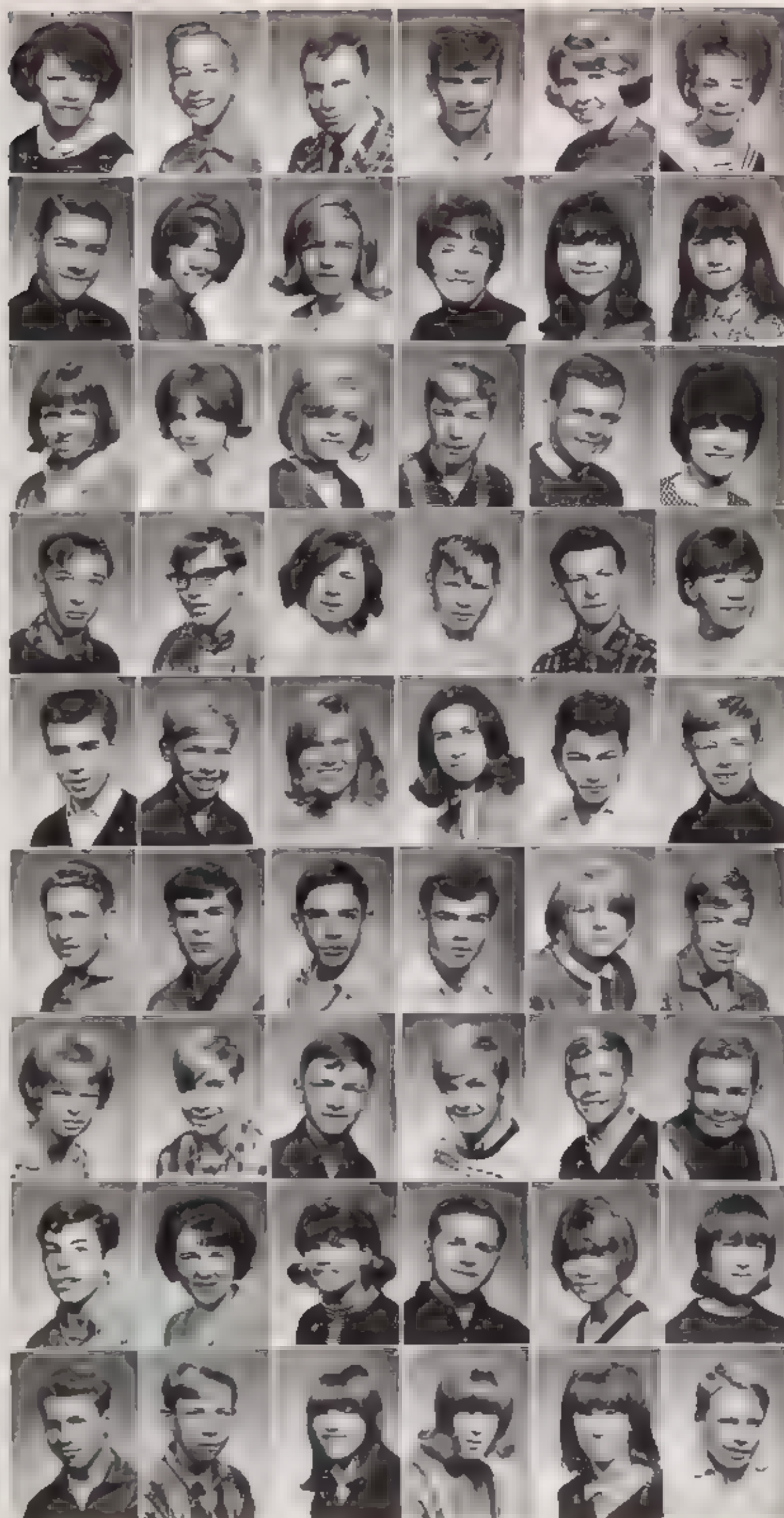
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 Fors, Rosemarie G.A.A.

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 Frank, Kathy  
 Freedman, Max



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 Jakubiec, Madeline

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 Jankowski, Dennis  
 Jannetta, Nancy  
 Jarvis, Phil SAC  
 Jazenski, Dick  
 Jensen, John

Jensen, Thomas  
 Jensen, Bob  
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 Johnson, Mark F Bask  
 Johnson, Sandy  
 Johnson, Renee

Johnston, Kathy  
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 Jones, Mike  
 Jones, Shelly  
 Julianne, Roy  
 Kaiser, Elizabeth CB

Kalef, Mary  
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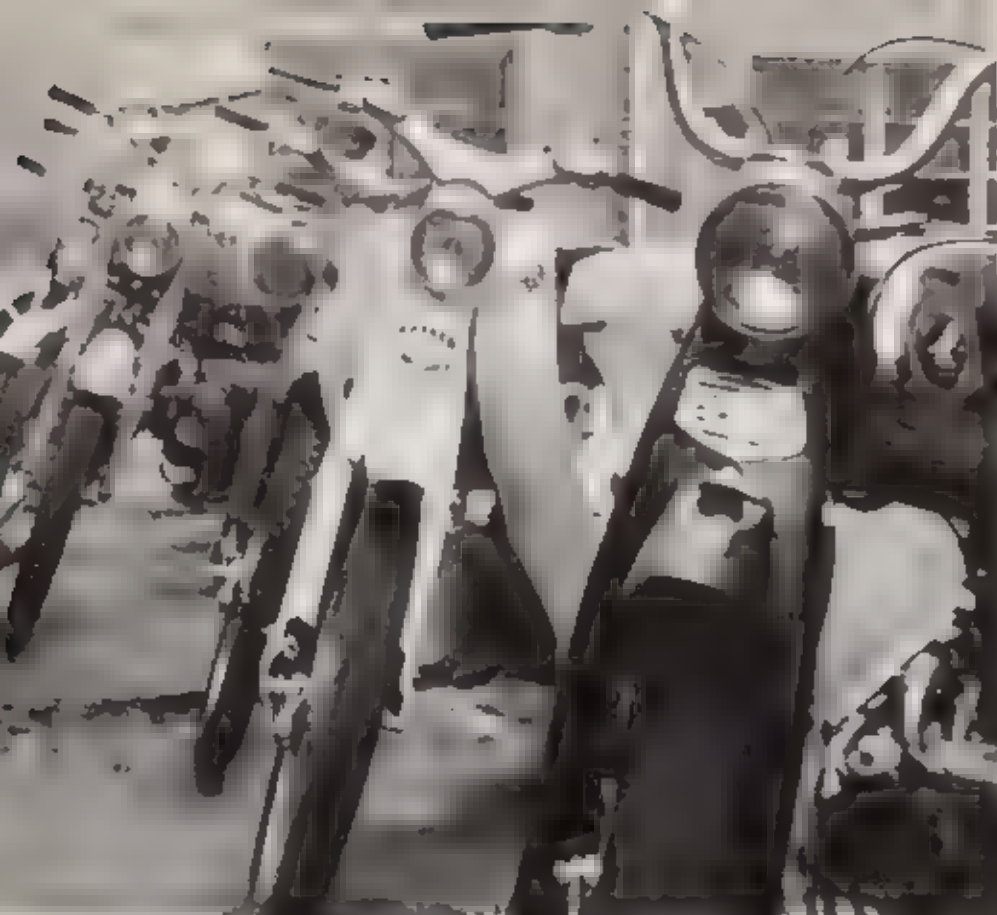
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 Knapp, Barbara Lib  
 Knight, Debbie  
 Konrad, Bob

Koss, John  
 Kovich, Sandra  
 Kozik, Jeff  
 Kozoski, Jack  
 Lampson, Connie  
 Laich, Fred







**October encouraged** the individualist. Eager to find a new and more exciting means of transportation these people adopted the motorcycle. Gradually the illusion of the motorcycle changed from that of "grease" to "frat" and became one of the most accepted additions to Dondora.

October also brought victory to the Junior class as they defeated the senior girls in the annual Powder Puff Football Game. The score was 18-12.

The members of the junior class had the opportunity to take the Preliminary Scholastic Aptitude Test on Saturday, October 23. The purpose of this test was to help students evaluate their capabilities for college. During this time, A.F.S. members were busy with their annual fund raising Hershey Candy Sale just before Halloween. This project helps them raise the money that is needed to bring an exchange student to Dondora.

Elizabeth Buhman, Eric Bohman, Tom Lowe, Robert Mayer, Jeanne McTavish, Fred Miller, and Joanne Randall were chosen National Merit Scholarship Semifinalists. Six other students received official letters from the Scholarship committee.

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Landry, Linda  
Landstrom, Mark Sy B., F Foot.  
Langdon, Dennis  
Lantz, Sally  
Laamanen, Barbara GAA  
Lapp, Edna

Larkins, Larry  
Lawless, David F Foot  
Lawson, Pam  
Lawson, Steve VB  
Leasia, Gary  
Leitnerman, Jim

Lemma, Joe  
Lentz, Art  
Levin, David  
Levin, Ken CB  
Livold, Joe  
Lindh, Janet SAC, GAA

Lindquist, Diane  
Lloyd, Bonnie SAC, GAA  
Lloyd, Kathy  
Lloyd, Pat GAA  
Locke, Al VB  
Loneski, Mike

Long, Ted  
Loop, Debbie  
Lubin, Judy GAA  
Lorentzen, Jim VB  
Lynn, Carla CB  
MacArthur, Bill

MacColeman, Robin  
Maeder, Edy  
Maier, Donna CB  
Major, Pat  
Makarwicz, Joe  
Molesky, John





Maley, Glenn  
Mann, John V. Bask., V. Foot  
Mann, Randy  
Marcees, Craig  
Marelch, Steve  
Marfuta, Jaynee

Marks, Merrill  
Marshall, Dione  
Martin, Cathy  
Martin, Julie GAA  
Marty, Marlane  
Mathews, Cheryl GAA, AF5

Mothers, Dan CB  
Mattson, Mary Jo  
Mareski, Linda  
Mayack, Mike  
Mayer, Richard  
McCarty, Kathy

McCarty, Lavra  
McCarthy, Pat  
McCreery, Ron  
McCurdy, Keith F Bask., SAC  
McDermia, Dave SAC  
McFarland, Richard

McGlone, Ron  
McNally, Karen Y T, Lib., GAA  
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## Hungry Hoopers Share Surplus Of Latin Feast

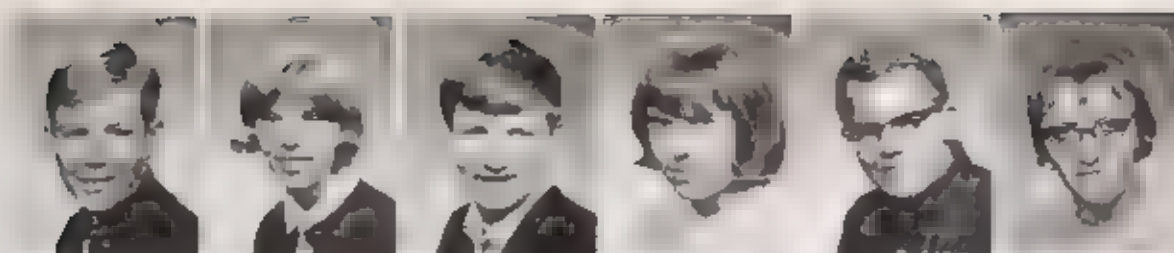
"The men who came for dinner" — an apt description of what happened when the Latin Club held their potluck dinner. There was an overabundance of food so it was decided that the basketball team needed a little nourishment after their hard practice. At right, Mickey Westmoreland and Bob Sheldon eat their dinner.

At the beginning of November students busily prepared for the Auto Autumn Annual Parade. Shown in the picture is senior co-captain Bob DeJulius going through the victory hoop at this, his last home game.

During November, FTA sent a group of members to visit the Braille Room at Lockman School where methods for teaching the blind were explained by Mrs. Mary Jo Alden, the teacher for the blind. The Student Advisory Council met for the first time this year and R.O. Club had their semi-annual initiations which were humorous as usual.



Meek, Jim  
 Meitz, Carolyn Or  
 Mertzner, Dave  
 Merrill, Christina MD, GAA  
 Merritt, Mark  
 Messer, Lois VB



Metzger, Mike  
 Milchench, Jean  
 Millar, Bruce  
 Millard, Al  
 Miller, Agatha  
 Miller, Bill



Miller, Christine CB  
 Miller, Larry  
 Miller, Louis  
 Misner, Paul  
 Mitchell, Fran SAC  
 Mitchell, Steve



Modest, Andrew  
 Mair, Steve  
 Monigold, Mike CB  
 Monahan, Mike Wrest.  
 Montana, Anthony  
 Moore, Rich



Morey, Dave  
 Morris, Pat GAA  
 Morrow, Milita  
 Mosher, Joan  
 Mott, Richard VB  
 Mueller, Walt



Muller, Susan  
 Muncey, Karen  
 Murphy, Pam  
 Murray, Dan CB  
 Mutschler, Bob  
 Mutschler, Roberta MD



Myers, Linda GAA  
 Nagel, Gail  
 Nagel, Rozanne  
 Nancekwill, Karen CB  
 Nathan, Dan  
 Netz, Bob



Newman, Lynn SAC, Y-T  
 Nichols, Kathy  
 Nicholson, Joyce  
 Nowak, Gary  
 Nowak, Linda  
 Noyas, Dave



Ochs, Jim  
 O'Leary, Mike  
 Olmstead, Deborah  
 Olsen, Gary  
 O'Neill, Susan  
 Orlando, Ken





Orr, Jim  
 Osbourne, Delbert  
 Ostick, Janice GAA  
 Otterson, Harry  
 Oust, Nanci  
 Owen, Stuart

Paddock, Dennis  
 Papandren, Glen  
 Park, Bob  
 Parsons, Chris  
 Peck, Pat  
 Perreca, Peter

Peters, Jeff VB  
 Petrey, Lucinda  
 Phillips, Michael  
 Phillips, Pat  
 Piosta, Leonard  
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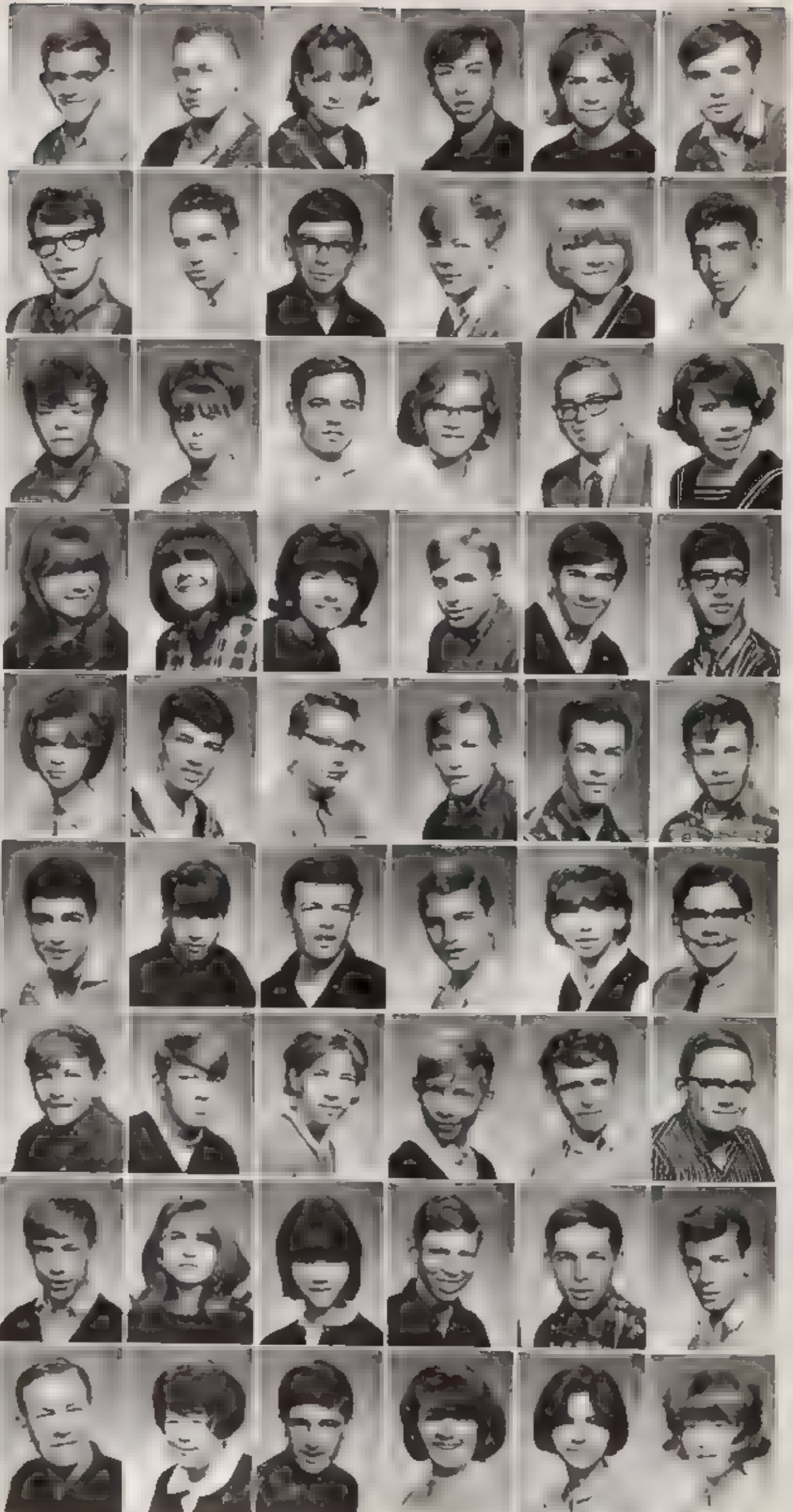
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 Rabedeau, Roger  
 Rand, Sid  
 Rarus, Joseph SAC

Ratkiewicz, John  
 Read, Loren Wrest. SAC  
 Reece, Freda  
 Reed, Bill  
 Reiber, Gary  
 Re'd, Barrie

Reid, David  
 Reilly, Patricia  
 Resnick, Melanie GAA  
 Rideout, David  
 Ringer, Stevan  
 Rishe, Keith

Ryard, Michael  
 Rivet, Connie GAA  
 Roberts, Ronald  
 Robinson, Terry  
 Romans, Bonnie  
 Root, Jill





Rosebrough, Raymond  
Rowa, Marianne  
Rubelmahn, Sandy GAA  
Ruotsala, Ryan  
Rutledge, Jane GAA  
Rutledge, Susan Sen

Rutledge, Tim  
Rutzky, Jane CWC  
Saareba, Robert  
Salva, Edward  
Samuels, Ken  
Sanders, Keith

Sanderson, Cherie  
Sarkisian, Leon  
Sayer, Virginia  
Schaeen, Waleed  
Schaller, Susan  
Schaub, Stephen

Schindler, James  
Schott, David CB  
Schroeder, Ron  
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Schulz, Don Sen. JVFoot, F Bosk., Ski  
Schurg, Lawrence

Schwarze, Sharon  
Scott, Arink  
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Scott, Sally  
Scott, Steve  
Seeman, Roberto

Seltzer, Michael  
Serrans, Elizabeth  
Sevold, Emily  
Sewell, Chris  
Shalop, Greg  
Sharpe, Tim

Show, Dennis  
She Inut, Michae  
Shelly, Elyse  
Shepfer, Sue  
Shostak, Dorothy  
Showers, Cynthia

Showers, Steven  
Sibthorpe, Ron  
Simonelli, Diane GAA  
Slatkin, Laurie  
Sloan, Al  
Smith, Al

Smith, Debbie Sen.  
Smith, Krista  
Smith, Pamela Or  
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Smits, Stephen  
Snyder, Linda



Soderstrom, Don  
 Sokol, Sally  
 Sonenkle, Neil  
 Spanns, Dan  
 Speckler, Carol  
 Springer, Connie

Stahl, Larry Or  
 Stamp, Dick F Foot  
 Stanoler, Ed  
 Stephens, John  
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Stockman, John  
 Stoyka, Linda  
 Stratton, Terrie  
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 Street, Brian  
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Stump, Mike F Foot, SAC  
 Sturtz, Greg  
 Sullivan, Dan CB  
 Suminski, Helen  
 Suro, Dave  
 Swords, Linda

Tatro, Shawn  
 Teague, Brenda  
 Tessem, Rolfe CB  
 Thompson, Philip F Foot, V Bask.  
 Thorton, Mike A.V.  
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Tischler, Nanci  
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 Van Arsdell, Debbie  
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 Vandermark, John AFS

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 Van Wassenhove, Joan  
 VanZandt, Bob F.Foot  
 Vossallo, Tom Wrest  
 Voodre, Ellen GAA  
 Wadja, Susan

Waggener, Jim  
 Waggener, Lee  
 Wagman, Dave Wrest  
 Wagner, Nancy GAA  
 Wake, Lewis SAC, CB  
 Walford, Sandra GAA, Or.





Woohei, Wayne  
 Watkins, Tom  
 Watson, Dave AV  
 Waymaster, Noreen  
 Weaver, James  
 Webb, Bert F. Foot., V Bask.

Webb, Bob  
 Weir, Linda CB  
 Weller, Lynn  
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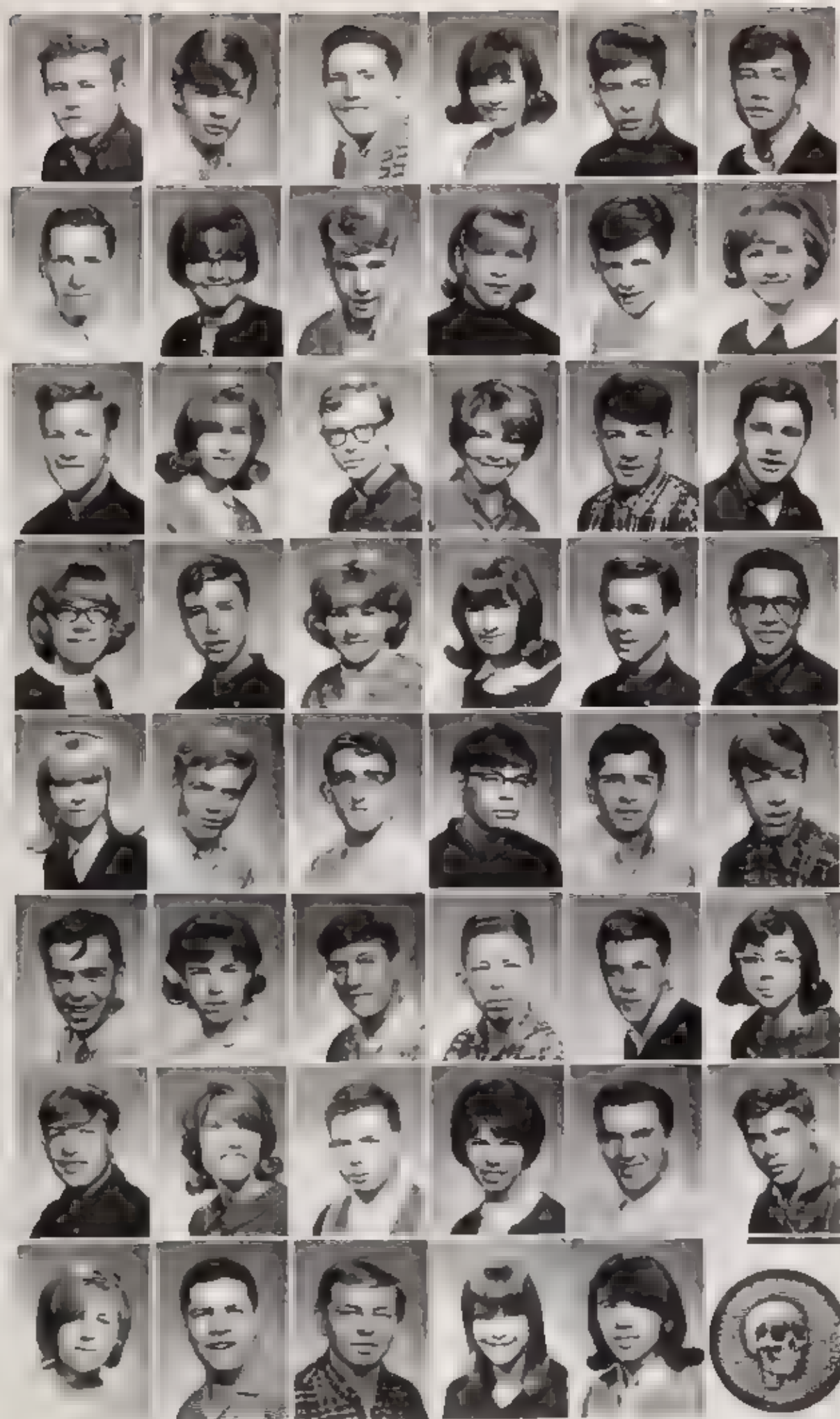
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 Winstock, Jeff  
 Wolfe, Mike

Walashen, Dave  
 Wood, Barb Y T  
 Wood, Bob CB  
 Woodcox, Jim  
 Woodgate, Jim CB  
 Woodruff, Marilyn

Wooster, John SAC  
 Worden, Diana Or  
 Wright, Jim  
 Yaeger, Diane Or  
 York, Dave  
 Youngblood, Rich

Zautner, Ingrid  
 Zechman, Harry  
 Zehner, Jay SAC  
 Zell, Melinda GAA  
 Zerilli, Kathleen  
 Zupinski, Ursula Sen.





# Shouting Sophs Claim Cheering Champ's Cup

## CLUB ABBREVIATIONS — SOPHOMORES

American Field Service — AFS  
 American Youth Hostel — AYH  
 Art Club — Art  
 Audio-Visual Club — AV  
 Baseball — VBase., JVBase.  
 Basketball — VBask., JVBask.  
 Cheerleading — JVCh.  
 Concert Band — CB  
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 Debate — Debate

Football — JVFoot., VFoot.  
 French Club — Fr.  
 Future Nurses — FNo  
 Future Nurses — FNA  
 Girls' Athletic Association — GAA  
 Girls' Choir — GCh.  
 Girls' Glee Club — GGlee  
 Golf — G  
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 Latin Club — Latin  
 Library Staff — Lib.  
 Modern Dance Club — MDC

Orchestra — Or.  
 R.O. Club — R.O.  
 Senate — Sen.  
 Swimming Team — Swim.  
 Symphony Band — Sy. B.  
 Tennis Team — Tennis  
 Track Team — Track  
 Varsity Band — VBand  
 WOAK — WOAK  
 Wrestling — Wrest.  
 Club Officer — \*

Abraham, Dale  
 Adamski, Carol  
 Agree, Betty  
 Aiken, Bob  
 Akers, Clayton  
 Alexander, Dean

Alexander, John  
 Alexander, Robert  
 Allor, Philip  
 Anderson, Pat  
 Angove, Ralph  
 Armstrong, Jerry

Arwine, Charlene  
 Ayers, Lisa MDC  
 Babnikovich, Janice Lib.  
 Backner, John  
 Bailey, Jon Or.  
 Bakke, Karen Sy B., AFS

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 Ballard, Tom  
 Ballish, Brad  
 Barrow, Nareen  
 Barton, Jeanette MDC+  
 Bassa, Joanne

Bashan, Diane  
 Baumert, Cindy  
 Beacham, Diane  
 Beauchamp, Pat JVFoot.  
 Becker, Mike  
 Beers, Jim

Belger, Deborah  
 Bell, Diane  
 Bell, Spencer  
 Bennet, Dave  
 Berry, Nancy  
 Berry, Shirley MDC



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 Bertolini, Gary  
 Birchall, Maureen CW  
 Bishop, Bob CB, JVFoot.  
 Bishop, Gilbert JVFoot.  
 Binnas, Gerald

Bityk, Lauren  
 Blake, Alice Or.  
 Blake, Nancy  
 Blanchard, Scott  
 Blunden, Larry  
 Bollman, Cathy

Bolyard, Gary  
 Bouren, Jenny  
 Bowers, Cathy CB, Lib  
 Bowman, Russ WOAK  
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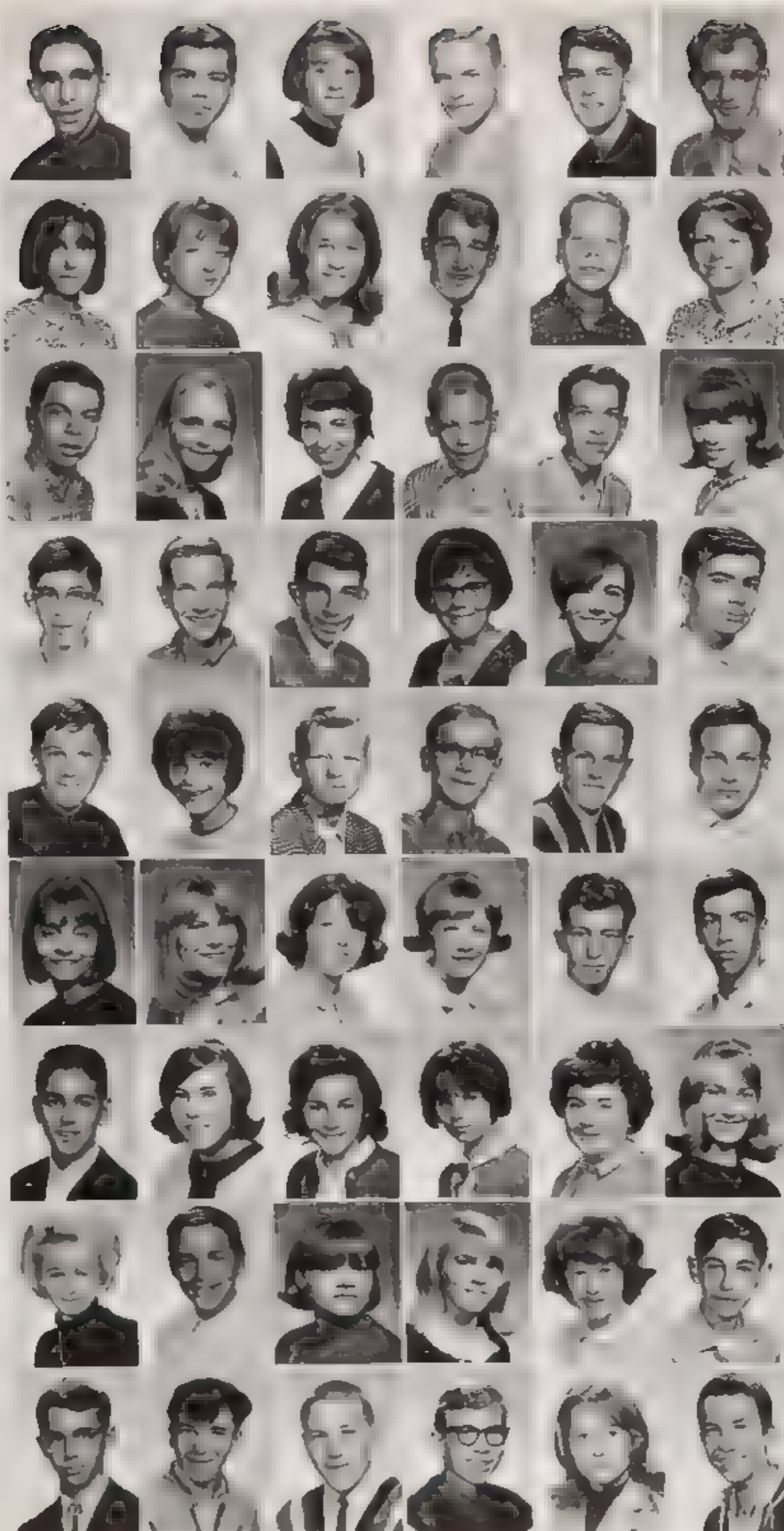
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 Buhr, Karen MDC  
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 Carver, Nona  
 Cassidy, Linda  
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 Cayan, Rex

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 Churchill, Candy  
 Churilla, Victor



Capp, Beth  
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 Clark, Pam AFS  
 Clayton, Sandy  
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 Crock, Tom CB

Cluff, Barb  
 Cole, Kathy FTA  
 Collins, Daryl  
 Conley, Ron JVFoot  
 Corbin, Pat  
 Couture, Rosemary

Cowley, Eric SyB  
 Cox, James  
 Crafton, Jean  
 Cromer, Larry  
 Crandall, Carol  
 Crandall, Chris

Crandall, Joanne Sen  
 Crawford, Barb  
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 Cross, Sandy  
 Cummings, Mark AY  
 Cuneax, Larry

Cunningham, Kim  
 Currence, Keith  
 Donaher, Al  
 Davies, Fred  
 Davison, Jerry  
 Deisler, Rick JVFoot

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 Dickenson, Jeannete  
 Dickerson, Kathy

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 Dong, Christine Lib  
 Donnell, Steve

Doucet, Lou  
 Drake, Carol  
 Dresselhouse, Cynthia  
 Drexler, Dan  
 Dunslager, John  
 Dupraw, Vicki

Durian, Gail  
 Dwyer, Lucy  
 Ears, Tom  
 Eaton, Tom SyB  
 Eddy, Melvin CB, AFS  
 Edwards, Doug CB, JVFoot





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 Erneman, Lou  
 Etheridge, Jim  
 Evans, Norm  
 Evanuck, Roy Or.  
 Ewald, Andrea

Faraday, Tom JVFoot  
 Fast, Tom AV  
 Feig, Barb  
 Fife, Larry  
 Finn, Steve  
 Firman, Bob

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 Fisher, Nancy  
 Flint, Beth Or.  
 Flowers, Richard  
 Frank, Dan  
 Frankel, Jim

Frankuch, Paul  
 Frederick, Jan  
 Fresch, Marie  
 Friedman, Mark  
 Frudd, Tim  
 Fyfe, Greg



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## December's Pride

For most people the month of December was a happy one. For Dondora it was a month we can look back on with pride. It was during December that many school clubs proved their eagerness to help those less fortunate than themselves. The Library Staff bought stuffed animals as Christmas presents for the children of the Hawthorne Center. Judy Albion and Susan Hatherly (right) were the chairmen of this project. The A Capella Choir answered a plea for help from needy Vietnamese children. The proceeds of their dance and collection sent needed canned goods, clothes, and a washing machine to Vietnam where a former Dondora student, Jim Patterson, distributed them.

# First Semester Concludes With Dance Soiree a Paris

As students returned to school after Christmas vacation, the Winter Prom Committee co-chairmen, Nanci Kelarian and Heather Larcher, busily prepared for "Soiree a Paris". The dance took place on January 29, 1966 from nine to twelve. As couples entered, they passed under the Arc de Triomphe and those preferring not to dance could sit either in the Moulin Rouge or have refreshments in a French cafe as Barb Rogers and Jeff Roe (right) decided to do. Music was provided by the Bob Durant Orchestra.

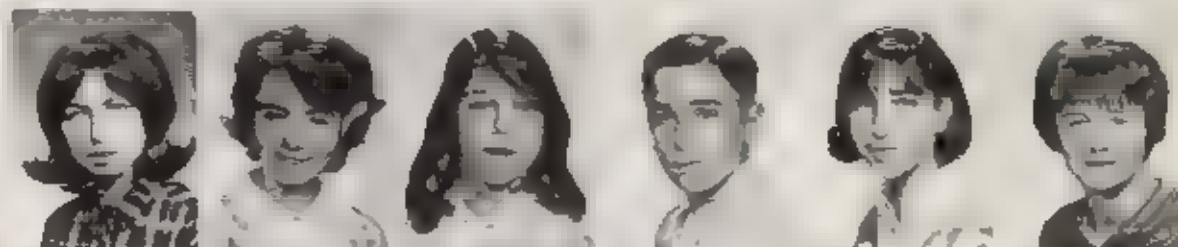
Lynda Harris, accompanied by Joann Randall, sang a medley of songs around the theme and a group of Freshmen girls highlighted the evening as the Folies Bergere. Door prizes, a diamond pendant and a jewelry case, were won by Denise Zimmer and Paul Most and Linda Anderson and Bill Burau.

Other January activities included Student Government Day, senior pictures, the welcoming of Fanny Kazaras, Uruguay exchange student, and exams.



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Gambini, Mary  
Gauthier, Nancy  
Gaylor, Evelyn  
Geister, Jim  
Geller, Carol AFS  
Ganformaggio, Carmela



Gifford, Pat  
Gilbert, Debbie  
Gilbreath, Nick  
Glassfor, Doug  
Goldman, Jan  
Golias, Kathleen



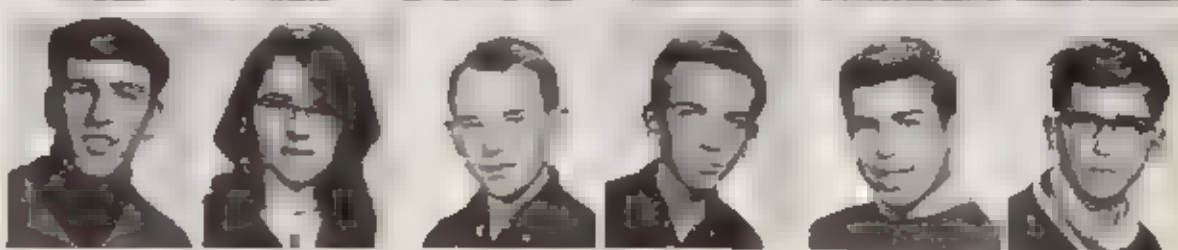
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Grady, Patsy



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Gray, Frances  
Gray, George  
Green, Richard  
Greenway, Marcia  
Greenwood, Cynthia CW



Greig, Bob JV Foot.  
Grier, Elaine Lib.  
Griffith, Mike CB  
Grulich, Jim CB  
Guarino, Bill JV Foot  
Guarino, John





Gunsch, Doug  
 Guzman, Bill  
 Hacker, Jim  
 Hackett, Carol  
 Hall, John  
 Halman, Dick



Halperin, Nan AFS, FTA, Sen  
 Hamby, Christine  
 Hamermaster, Shirley  
 Hampton, Bob  
 Hanson, Cheryl  
 Harding, Jerry



Hardman, Christine  
 Harlin, Cheryl  
 Harman, Sue  
 Harrett, Randy  
 Harris, Carol Or.  
 Harris, John



Harris, Mary FTA AFS  
 Harris, Nancy  
 Harrison, Dick CB  
 Hart, Carolyn  
 Hart, Pete  
 Hartman, Bill



Haupt, Dennis  
 Hausworth, Al SyB.  
 Hayes, Gary  
 Haynes, Colleen  
 Heacock, Nora  
 Hecht, Miriam JV Cheer



Hecoy, Janet  
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 Hendryx, Clarence JV Foot



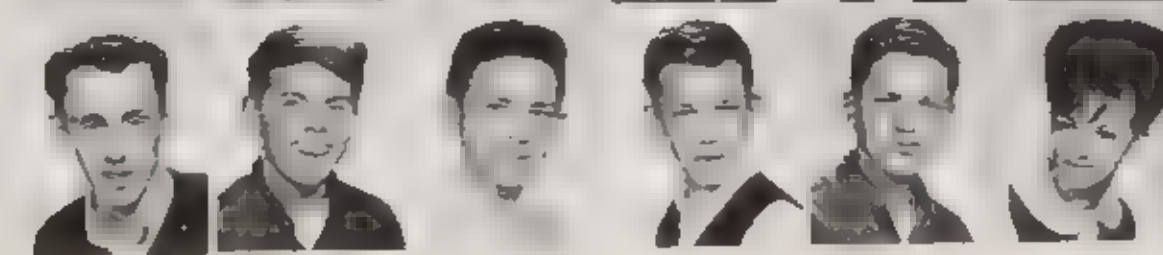
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 Hill, Ed



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 Hillborn, Maureen Lib  
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 Hiner, Wayne  
 Hitchingham, Mike  
 Hobbs, David



Hodge, David  
 Hoemke, Norm  
 Hoenighausen, Art  
 Hoenighausen, Norm  
 Hoffmaster, Bob  
 Hogas, Ellen





Holder, Al  
 Hallett, John  
 Holmes, Jackie  
 Holt, Patti  
 Hoover, Leslie Sen. JVCheer  
 Howes, Royce SyB



Mayt, Steve  
 Huff, John  
 Hulme, Frank  
 Humphreys, Pam  
 Isenberger, Cathy  
 Jablonski, Chris AFS



Jackson, Pam  
 Jahnke, Mary MD  
 James, Nancy  
 Jenero, Janice  
 Johnson, Carolyn  
 Johnson, Cynthia



Johnson, Dan  
 Johnson, Debbie  
 Johnson, Sharon  
 Jones, Cathy  
 Jones, Dave  
 Jones, Frank



Jones, Jan CB  
 Jones, Ron  
 Jones, Sheila CB  
 Jones, Shirley Lib  
 Jones, Terry  
 Julien, Ed



Jurgetonis, Joe  
 Jurrjens, Pam Lib.  
 Kalotta, Carleen  
 Kappheim, Cathy MD<sup>+</sup>  
 Karabelski, Dave  
 Karmesool, Renee



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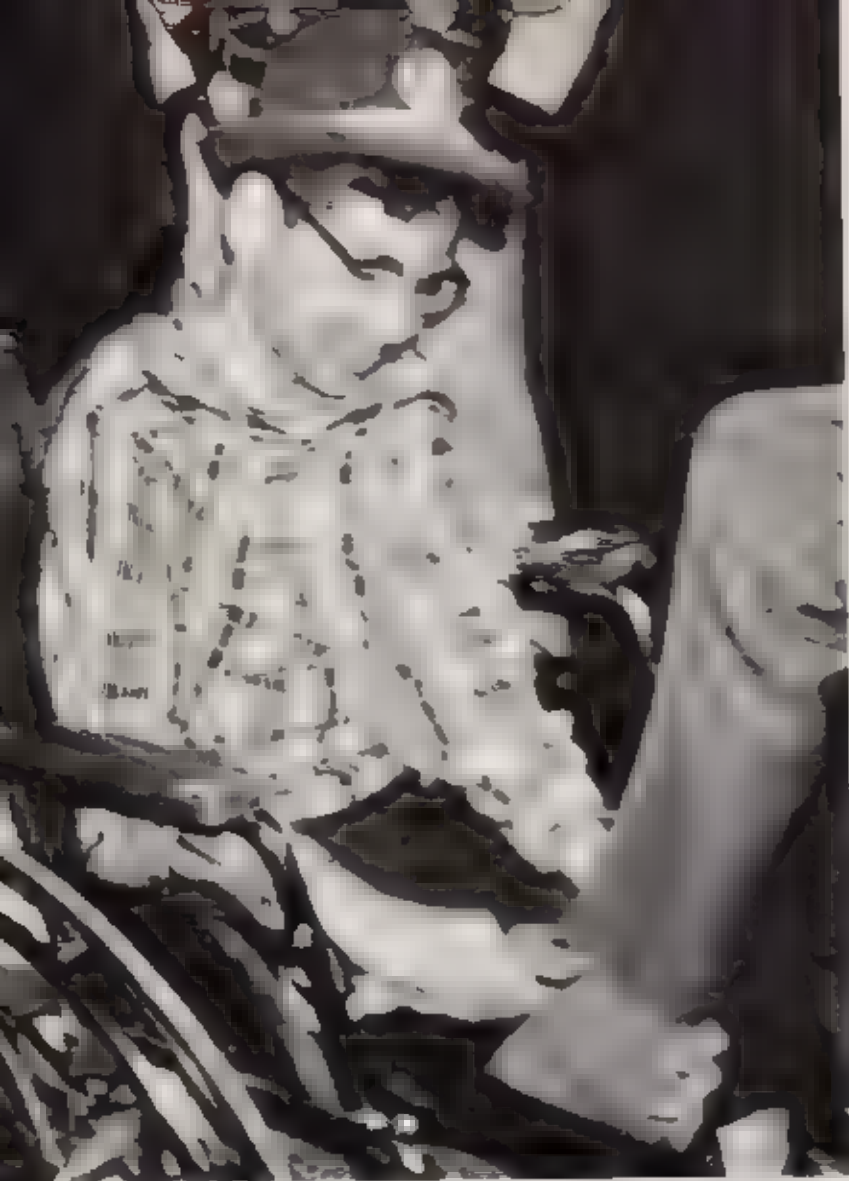


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 Kennedy, Tom CB  
 Kern, Lynn  
 Ketch, Kerry  
 Kezlarian, Barb FTA, JVCheer<sup>+</sup>



Kidder, Bruce  
 Killebrew, Larry  
 Kincannon, Craig  
 Kingsly, Val AFS, Or  
 Kirkman, Marguerite Lib.  
 Klepack, Sue AFS, FTA





## Latin Slaves Shine Shoes

As January gave way to February, Dondera students settled into their second semester. For many this meant class changes and for eight underclassmen it also meant initiation into Latin Club. The "SPQR" slaves, such as Larry Duhamel (right) were subject to their master's every whim February 17.

February 26, the day of the Paper Drive, was a memorable one for most Dondera Seniors. Under the direction of Tom Lowe and Mr. Robinson the senior class collected 31 tons of newspaper, or, as Bill Ogden put it "enough pages of newsprint to reach from New York to Las Vegas". The paper was sold for \$220 which is to be used toward the senior gift to the school.

The Powderpuff Basketball Game was one of the highlights of March. The fourth annual Jr.-Sr. girls basketball game was held March 9. The Senior girls took a 17-18 defeat.

With the end of March came the school play. This year a Greek Comedy, The Birds, written by Aristophanes was presented. The leading roles went to Leander Whitaker, Marc Crandall, and Bruce Watson.

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Kline, Carol  
Kix, Mona  
Kohlenberg, Jim WOAK  
Kohler, Connie MD  
Korz, Jim  
Kavacs, Carol



Kowalske, Judy  
Krakker, Sue  
Krause, Joe  
Krc, John  
Krohnberg, Bonnie MD+  
Krygier, Lynette Lib., FTA



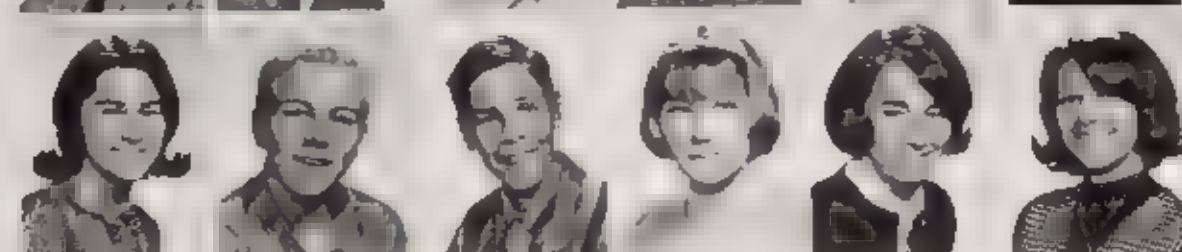
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Landry, Ron  
Langdon, Gordon  
LaPlu, Dudley  
Larka, Linda



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Lee, Sharon





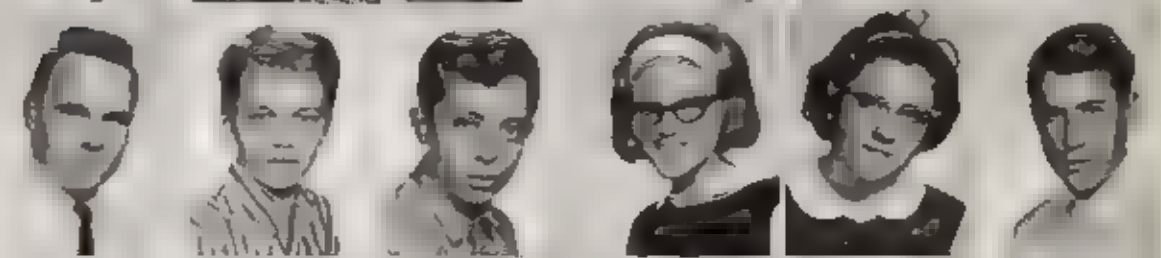
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 Levinson, Sally FTA



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 Lincoln, Nancy JV Cheer  
 Lions, Bob  
 Lipanga, Carol



llewellyn, Mike  
 Locke, Don  
 Loeffler, Phillip  
 Logan, Cheryl Lib.  
 Long, Pat GAA  
 Long, Robert JV Foot



Loudermilk, Darryl  
 Luer, Virginia  
 Luks, Ron  
 Lunay, Bill  
 Lunskey, Beth Sen.  
 Lynn, Dan



Lynch, Terry  
 Mackenzie, Kathleen  
 Majewski, Janet  
 Majewski, Richard  
 Males, Dennis  
 Malizer, Mark



Mansoor, Jim  
 Marchese, Madlen  
 Marchesault, Charles  
 Marcus, Erin  
 Marsee, Lemon  
 Marshick, Hope



Marteau, Julie  
 Martin, Nancy  
 Martiny, Nancy Or.  
 Maskill, Mike JV Foot  
 Massengill, Mike  
 Mattern, Jo Ellen



Matthews, Joan MD, CW, WOAK  
 McCartney, Pat  
 McCarty, Don  
 McCauley, Penny  
 McCoy, Nancy  
 McDermid, Mike



McFarland, Larry  
 McGullivray, Carol  
 McIntyre, Don  
 McKeel, Linda  
 McLean, Jackie  
 McMasters, Tim





McMinn, June  
McRobb, Mark  
McWilliams, Steve  
Meadar, Alan  
Meisner, Carl WOAK  
Meitz, Penny Or.



Mello, Tim  
Merantza, John Lib.  
Mercier, Linda Or, GAA  
Meyer, Susan  
Michael, Ken  
Michael, Sandra SyB



Michaelson, Julie AFS, GAA  
Mibelich, Kathy  
Mik ia, Karen Lib.  
Miller, Carolyn  
Miller, Robin  
Miller, Sharon



Mills, John  
Mitchell, Nancy AFS  
Modruk, Rich  
Moisch, Morit  
Montray, Gary  
Mooney, Brian AV



Moore, Bob CC  
Moore, Jacque  
Moore, Neil  
Moore, Tom  
Moorhead, Alice  
Moppar, Andy



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## April's Activities Highlighted by Senate Elections

April was a month of many activities at Dondero, but perhaps the most important was the Senate elections. Cathy Parent was elected president, Mary Stump, vice-president, Pat Bracy, secretary, Dave Charlton, treasurer, and Kathie Lawson, parliamentarian.

Other activities during April were the annual GAA water show, the Junior Class elections, the Journalism Conference in Ann Arbor, the school play, Mr. Barry's Etchings, and the spring concert in which all the choirs, the band, and the orchestra performed. Also the annual Latin Club Banquet was held.

Mosier, Laren WOAK  
 Most, Andrea GAA, GCh  
 Moulton, Tom  
 Muccino, Pat  
 Mull, Sharon  
 Murphy, Barb GAA



Murphy, John  
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 Neilson, Marianne



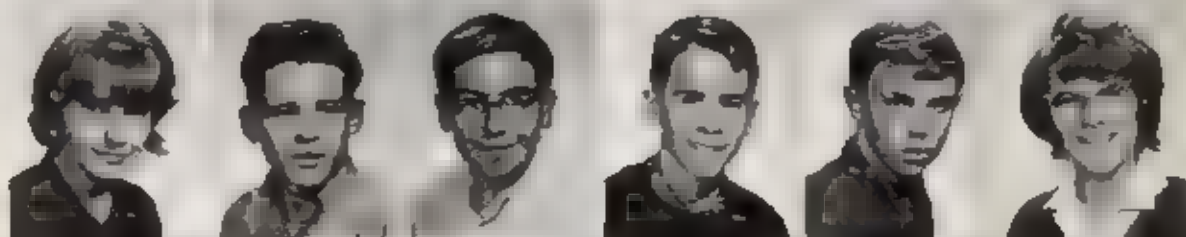
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 Olsen, Steve  
 O'Mara, Mike  
 Opdyke, Russ JVFoot  
 Orr, Sue



Overly, Linda CB  
 Patterson, Larry  
 Patton, Steve  
 Paul, Jeff  
 Payson, Alex  
 Peck, Martha



Penci, Richard  
 Penny, Harry  
 Perreca, Denise Lib.  
 Peters, Judy SyB  
 Peterson, Lars Or.  
 Peterson, Paul CC



Petko, Jacqueline Lib.  
 Pfeffer, Steve  
 Pfeiffer, Karen Lib.  
 Pfautz, Diane Lib.  
 Phillips, Gerry AFS  
 Phlegar, Ben



Pica, Nancy  
 Picke, John  
 Plumley, Mike  
 Polanecki, Cindy  
 Polansky, Albert  
 Polo, Diane



Polatint, Doreen  
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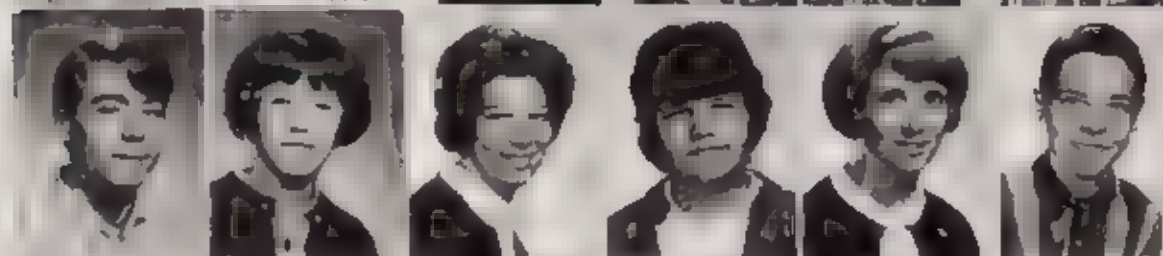




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 Price, Ron  
 Priest, Johnny



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 Pugh, Jackie  
 Quinn, Sue Or  
 Radabaugh, Ruth  
 Rajala, Dennis Key, AV, CC



Rando, David  
 Rapolopous, Chris ACap  
 Rasmussen, Coren  
 Rattner, Dan  
 Realy, Roxanne  
 Redfield, John



Reese, James  
 Rehner, Kathy GAA  
 Reid, Richard  
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 Retello, Mary Beth



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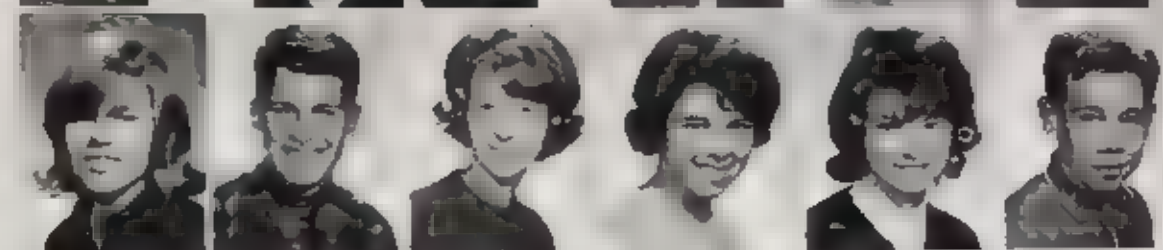
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 Romans, Gail  
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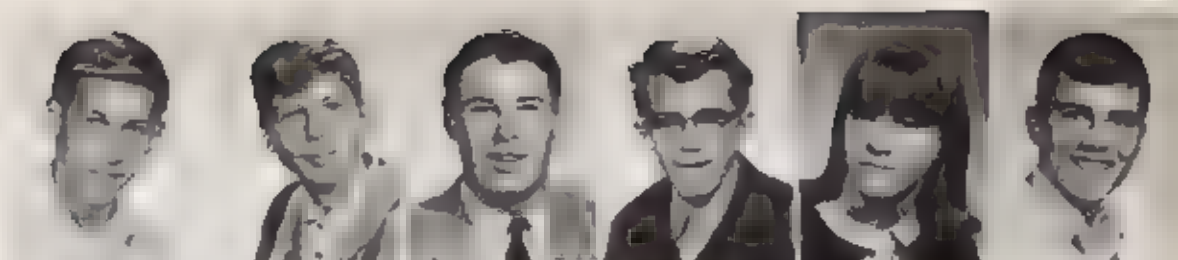


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 Schmeer, Ken  
 Schomas, Roger  
 Schooley, Karen G.Ch., GAA  
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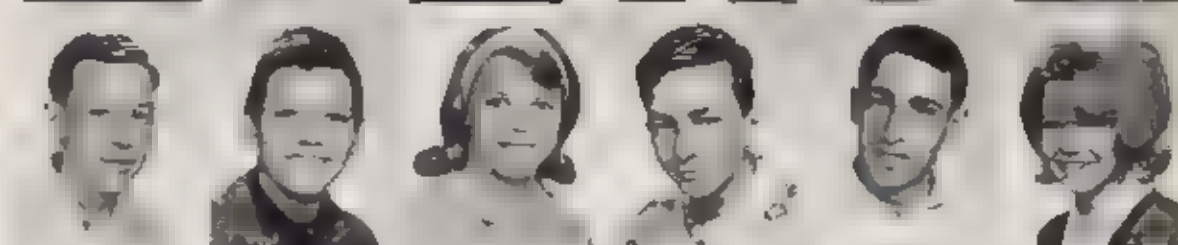
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 Sewell, Jane



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 Shannon, Dale  
 Shea, Kathy  
 Sheridan, Mike  
 Sherlock, Elaine  
 Showers, Ken



Shubeck, Mike  
 Shutes, Ted  
 Skelley, Joan  
 Simcox, Jerry  
 Sims, Larry  
 Skonieczny, Sue



Smart, Stan  
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 Smith, Cathy  
 Smith, Cindy  
 Smith, Fred  
 Smith, Janie



Smith, Jim  
 Smith, Judy  
 Smith, Sue G.Ch.  
 Smith, Wendy  
 Snyder, Bob  
 Sokol, Margaret GAA



Sousa, Diane  
 Spafford, Mary  
 Stacy, Gary  
 Stafford, Bob  
 St. Clair, Sandy  
 Stefanski, Joe



Stefansky, Stan  
 Stephenson, Bill  
 Sterkel, So'lie  
 Stevens, Gail  
 Stewart, Gordie  
 Stewart, Joanne



Stickel, Tim  
 Shipe, Larry A.V.  
 Stone, Chuck  
 Stout, Bob  
 Strail, Gai  
 Streby, Greg



Strike, Georgianne  
 Strong, Dan  
 Strzalka, Chris  
 Stubbs, Jim  
 Stump, Linda  
 Stuyka, Joan



Sullivan, Colleen  
 Sunmon, Fred  
 Surup, Susan  
 Swanson, Barb  
 Swanson, Jean  
 Swigert, Jim



Swinburnson, Cathy  
 Syzmanski, Ruth  
 Szajner, John  
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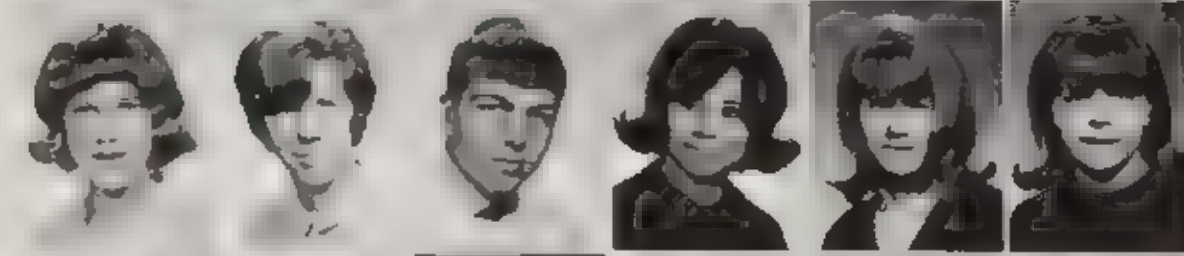
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 Trevillian, Tom  
 Tyro, Pat  
 Uhger, John  
 Ulrich, Wendy FTA



Vanderveide, Bonnie FTA  
 VanDoren, Valerie  
 VanWagoner, Joe C.B.  
 Varnum, Pat  
 VeJack, Sharon G.Ch., AFS  
 Vircent, Jonah



VonSeggern, Doug  
 Wade, Harley  
 Wakefield, Sus G.Ch  
 Walstad, Dave  
 Werd, Vicki  
 Warner, Roger C.B.





Watkins, Jim Swim.  
Wayne, Judy  
Webb, Lucy Lib.  
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Wolfe, Sylvia  
Wood, Claire

Wozniak, Gary WOAK  
Wright, Linda  
Wyatt, Frances  
Yarrington, Jane  
Yarrington, Jean  
Zorn, Tom



## Donderoites "Hoot 'n Holler" Their Way Into May

In the merry month of May, 1965 such events as the "Hoot'n'Holler," a hootenanny presented by Dondero teachers, were held.

May also seemed to be the month of music at Dondero. All the sections of the music department performed in concerts that month.

Other events that took place were the annual Dondero-Kimball Capers, which was held at Kimball,

the Annual Spring Dance Concert, presented by the Modern Dance Club, and the Oak and Acorn editors for this year were chosen.

For the Seniors the biggest event of the month was the long awaited Senior trip. The two day trip to Mackinac Island was attended by almost 300 members of the class of '65.



# Juniors Activate Dondero Halls as Upperclassmen

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Abernathy, Carol GAA  
 Acker, George  
 Adams, Robert  
 Adamian, Sherry  
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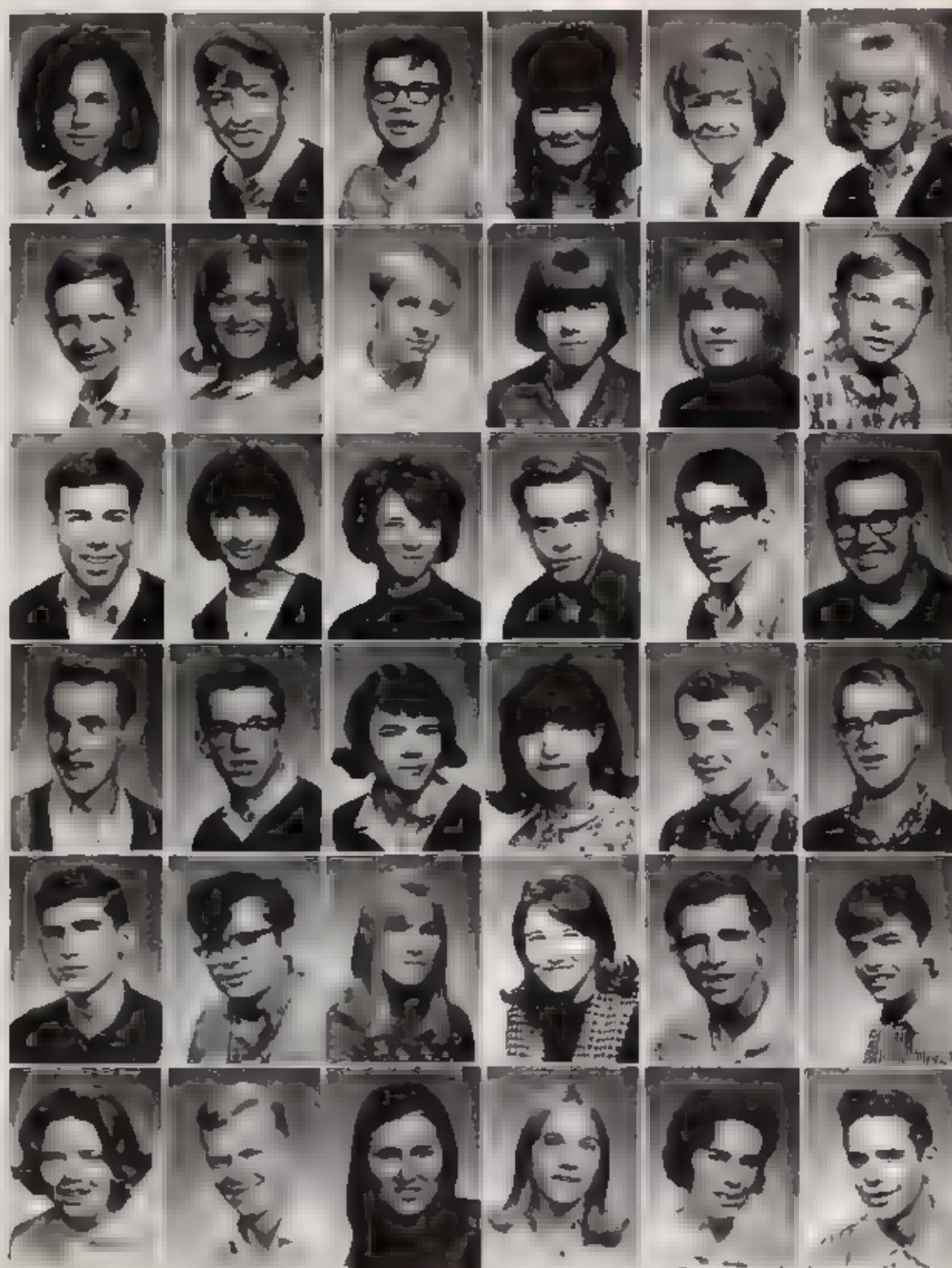
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Pausing during their cycle tour of Europe are Roger Speidel and Bill Ogden, who spent their summer traveling on Lambretta motorcycles. Roger and Bill weren't the only traveling Dunderoites, however; Others spent summers abroad. Bonnie Burton and Tom Lowe made Holland their summer destination as participants in an exchange student program. Israel was Naomi Klein's "summer resort" and Joanne Kekonen spent her summer in Italy. June was, of course, the end of the school year, but it was the beginning for many others. The Senior Prom and graduation ceremonies were not yet over, when students began their Summer plans. For some, June marked only a short relief from the demands of school as they made preparations for summer school.



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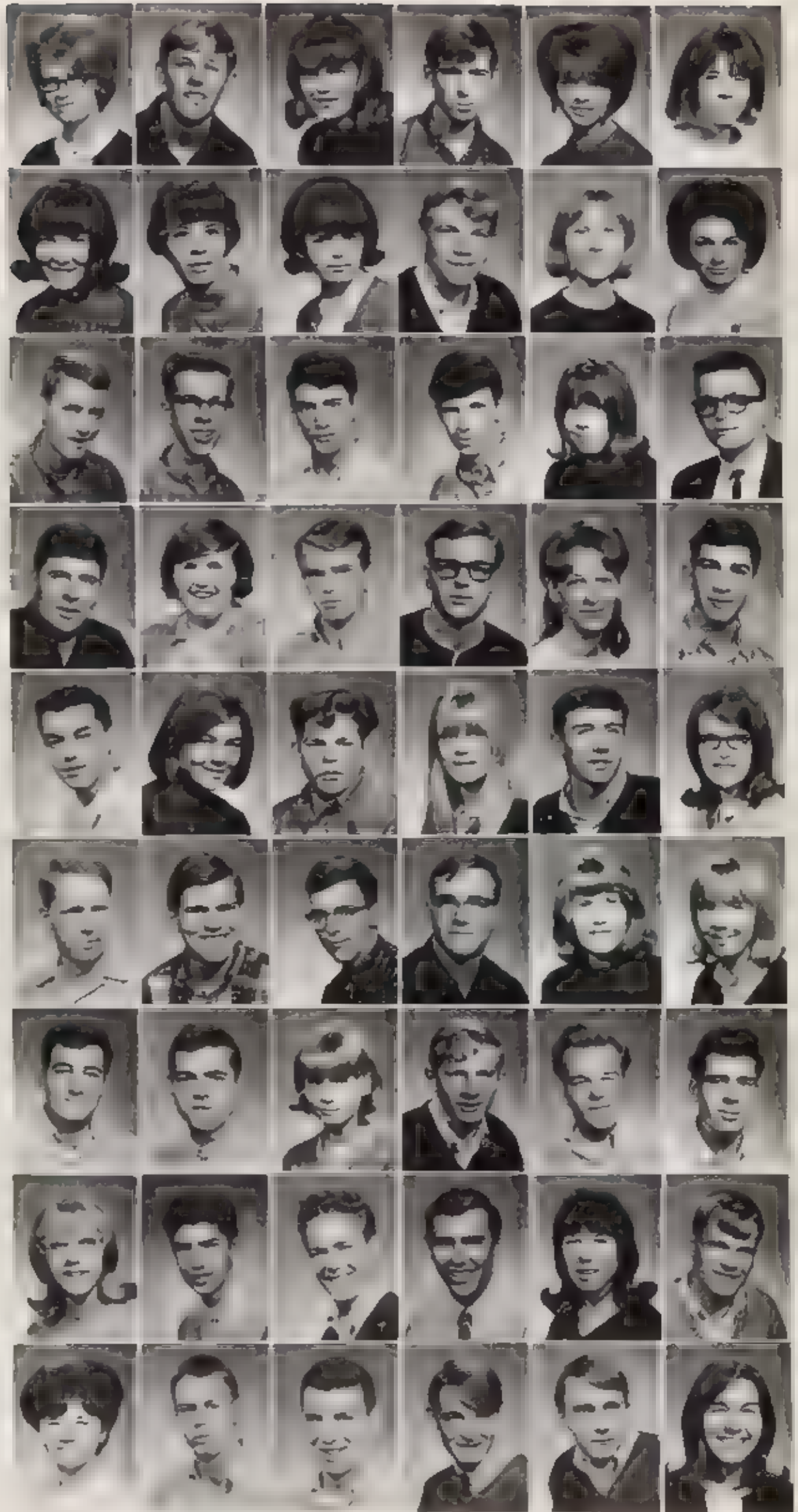
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### CLUB ABBREVIATIONS

A Capella Choir—A Cap.  
 Acorn Staff—Acorn  
 American Field Service—AFS  
 American Youth Hostels—AYH  
 Art Club—Art  
 Audio Visual—Audio  
 Baseball—VBase  
 Basketball—VBask  
 Cheerleading—VCh  
 Chemistry Club—Chem.  
 Concert Band—CB  
 Creative Writing Club—CWC  
 Cross Country—CC  
 Debate—Debate

Football—VFoot.  
 Forestry Club—For  
 French Club—Fr  
 Future Nurses—FNA  
 Future Teachers—FTA  
 Girls' Athletic Association—GAA  
 Girls' Choir—GCh  
 Girls' Glee Club—GGlee  
 Girls' Literary Club—GLC  
 Golf—Golf  
 Hi Y—Hi Y  
 Key Club—Key  
 Latin Club—Latin  
 Library Club—Lib.  
 Modern Dance Club—MD

National Honor Society—NHS  
 Oak Staff—Oak  
 Orchestra—Or  
 R.O. Club—R.O.  
 Senate—Sen  
 Spanish Club—Span.  
 Student Advisory Council—SAC  
 Swimming Team—Swim.  
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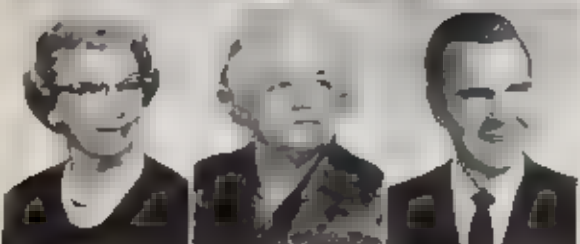
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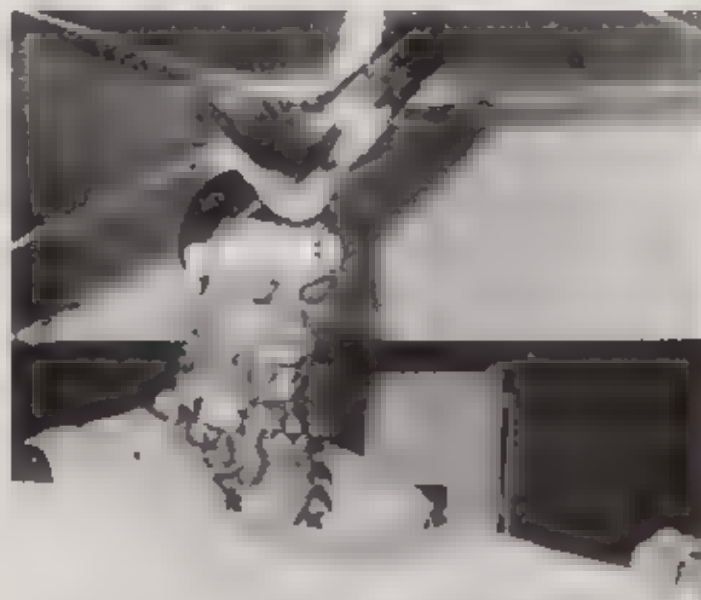
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Hearts and flowers are far removed  
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We tolerate our teachers whims  
And endure our trying school days.

We are the martyrs, silent and grim —  
Our taskmasters, cruel and cold,  
Drive us on from day to day,  
Crushing as they mold.

These are our thoughts, but we might be wrong  
So we'll wait 'til another day  
To drive them out by scourge and scorn —  
But for now, we'll let them stay.

Below, Mr. Joseph Fischer, art instructor, spends some of his free time performing this Indian war dance for elementary school campers.





# Coffeemaids, Indians Forge Ahead to "New Image"

Despite the image often conjured up of teachers, the Don-dera faculty does have a human side. Pictured on these pages are examples of several teachers who have broken from class-room routine. At the right, Miss Patricia Kibby, director of the Faculty Variety Show, Focus, reviews the script as the production date, April 15, draws near. The proceeds from this event are placed in the faculty benefit fund established last year. Mr. William Bennett tries to teach his students to understand and enjoy American History by removing some of the drudgery and presenting the course in a free atmosphere, created partly, by his modern art display, below. At far right, Mrs. Margaret Nelson bids entry to "Nel's Coffee House", an enterprise devised to interest her seniors in 17th century essayists.

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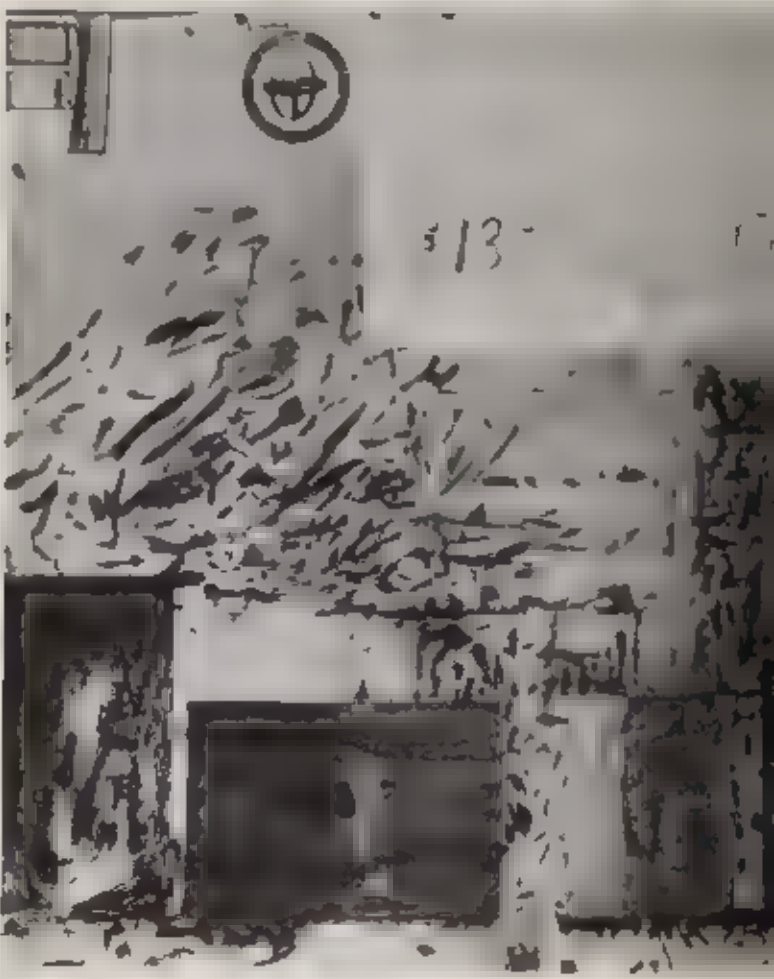
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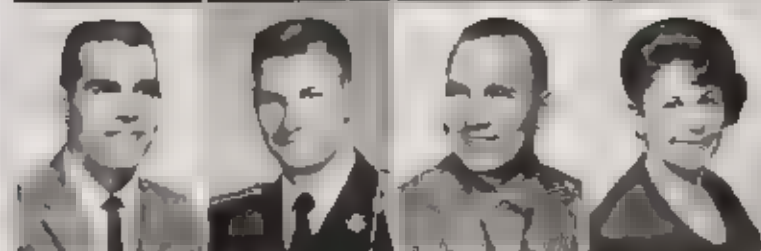
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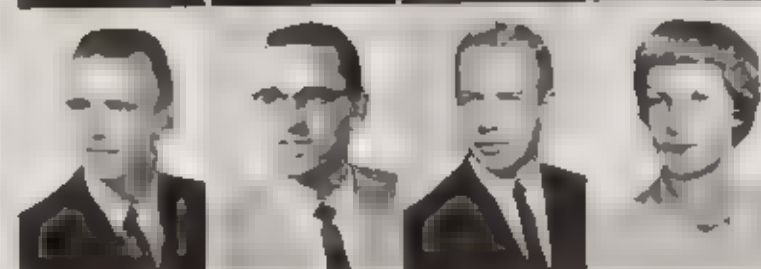
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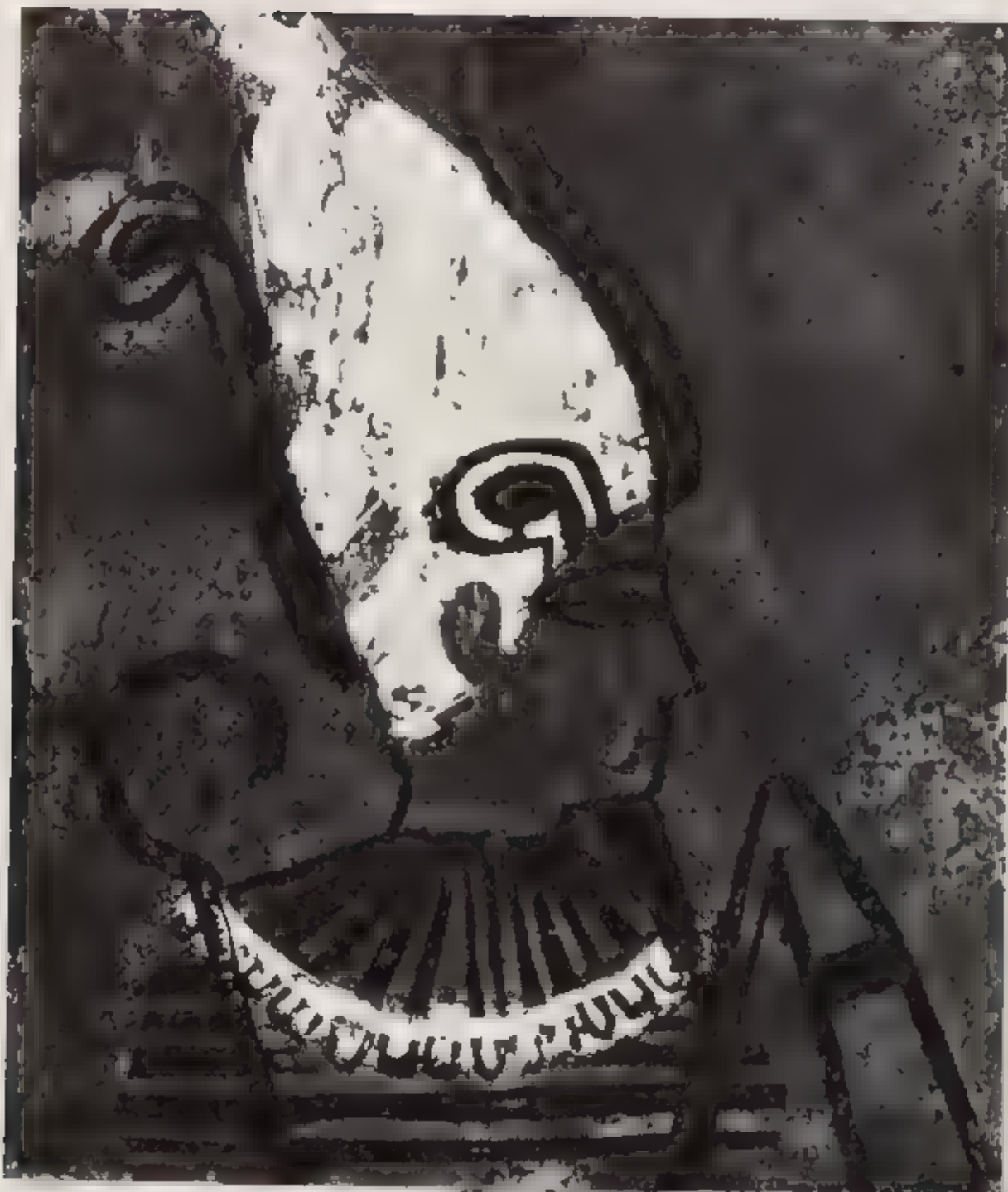
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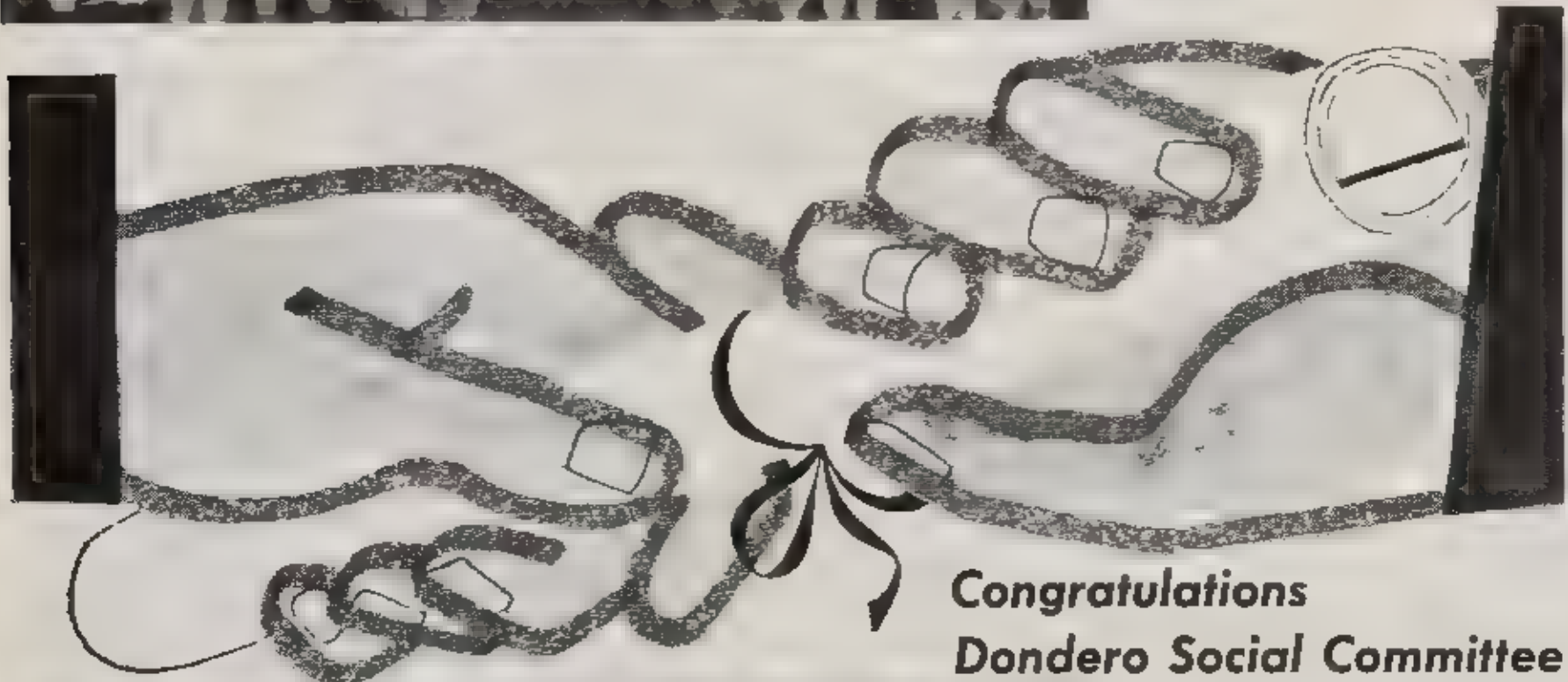


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Nov	23	Birmingham	53	52
Dec.	3	Kimball	46	51
Dec.	4	Southfield	40	65
Dec.	10	Monroe	68	73
Dec.	17	Wyandotte	53	43
Jan.	7	Highland Park	41	44
Jan.	11	Ferndale	49	61
Jan.	14	Fordson	68	53
Jan.	21	Grosse Pointe	43	73
Jan.	28	Monroe	55	57
Feb.	4	Wyandotte	63	66
Feb.	8	Berkley	70	61
Feb.	11	Highland Park	51	57
Feb.	18	Fordson	57	55
Feb.	22	Kimball	41	43
Feb.	25	Grosse Pointe	39	81



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Dec.	10	Monroe	34	71
Dec.	17	Wyandotte	48	57
Dec.	28	Ann Arbor		
Jan.	4	Kimball	27	78
Jan.	7	Highland Park	73	32
Jan.	14	Fordson	35	70
Jan.	21	Grosse Pointe	23	78
Jan.	28	Monroe	33	72
Feb.	1	Ferndale	51	55
Feb.	4	Wyandotte	63	42
Feb.	11	Highland Park	65	40
Feb.	18	Fordson	36	69
Feb.	25	Grosse Pointe	33	72
Mar	1	Fitzgerald	36	69



Varsity Football		Opp.	Ours
Sept. 17	Ferndale	6	7
Sept. 24	Hazel Park	0	14
Oct. 1	Highland Park	0	26
Oct. 8	Fordson	7	14
Oct. 16	Grosse Pointe	26	14
Oct. 22	Monroe	6	12
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Nov. 6	Seaholm	14	33
Nov. 12	Kimball	33	0



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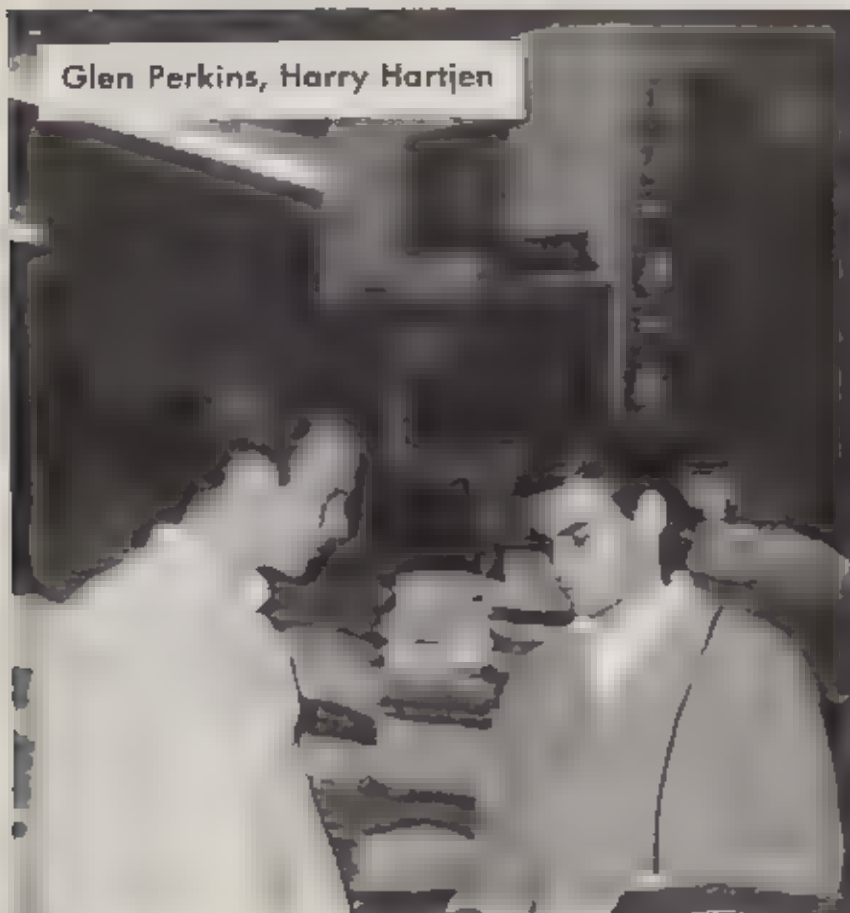
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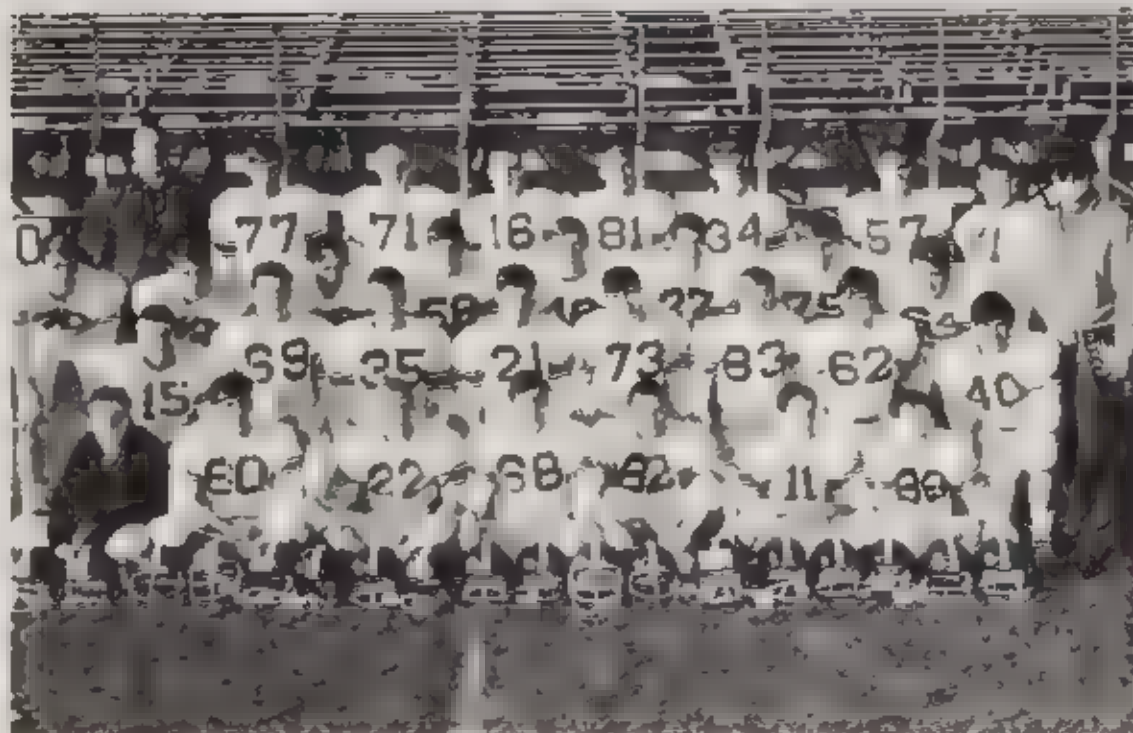
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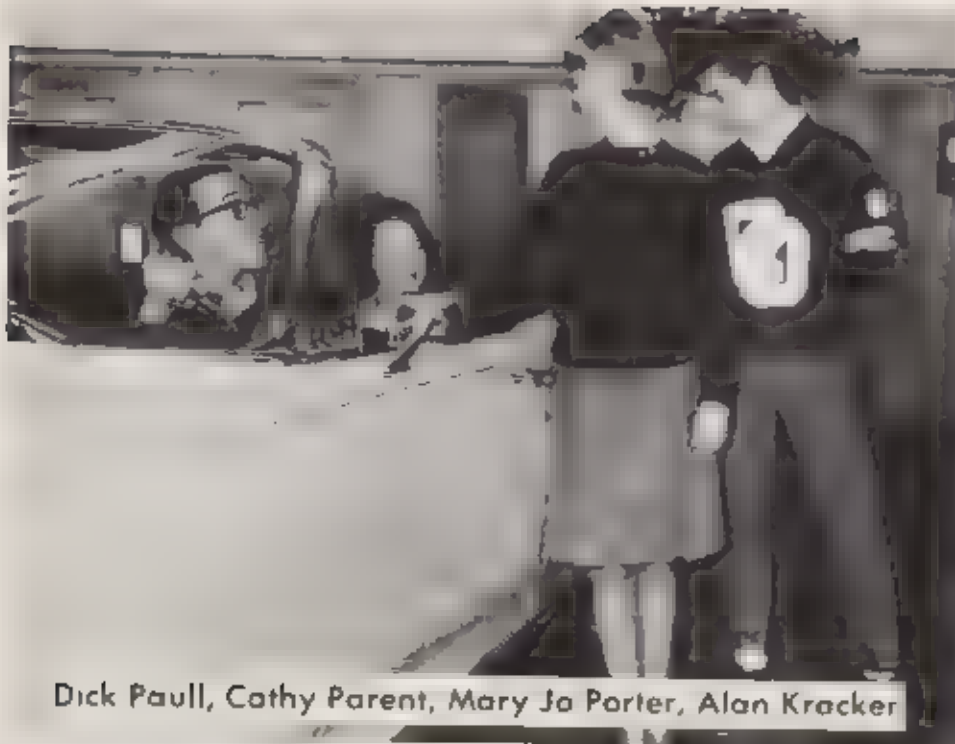
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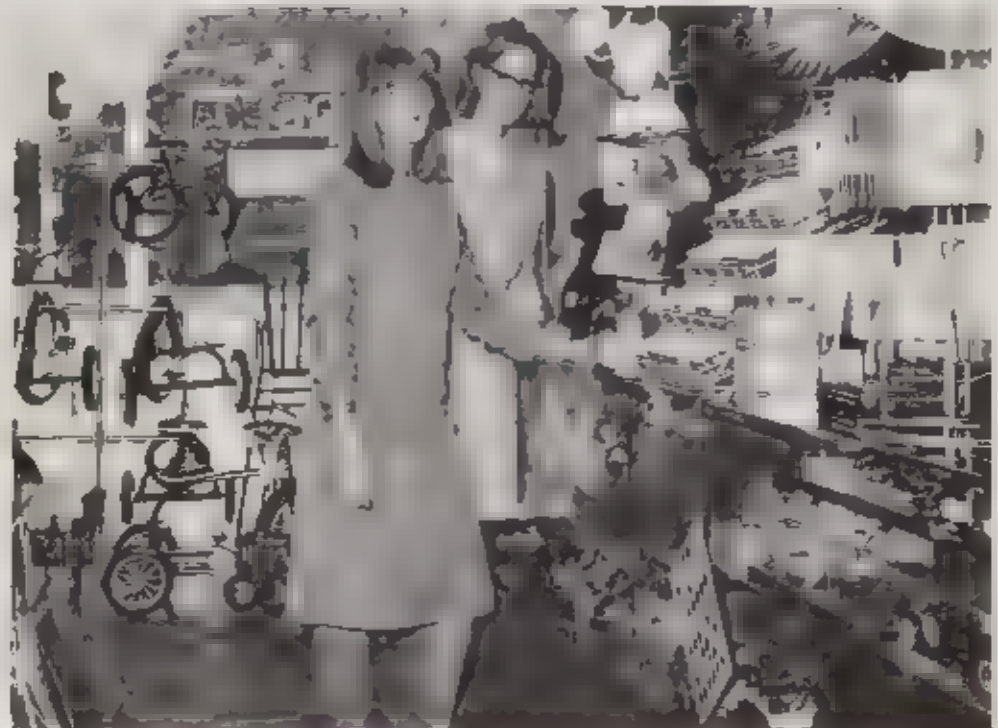
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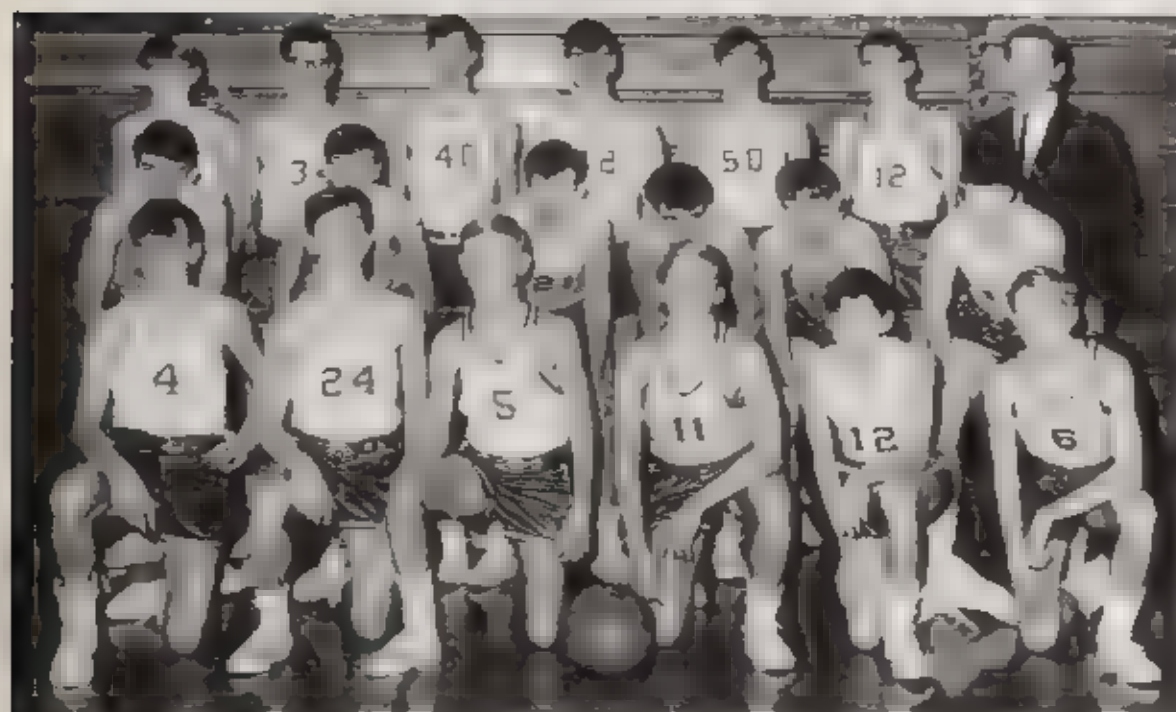
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Dec. 7	Hamtramck	47	34
Dec. 10	Cranbrook	64	26
Dec. 17	Hazel Park	67	51
Dec. 20	Ferndale	56	43
Jan. 7	Kimball	65	51
Jan. 14	Groves	65	45
Jan. 21	Cranbrook	58	43
Jan. 25	Highland Park	59	63
Jan. 28	Hazel Park	56	37
Feb. 4	Ferndale	53	41
Feb. 11	Kimball	64	52
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Feb. 22	Groves	53	50
Feb. 25	Hamtramck	69	43

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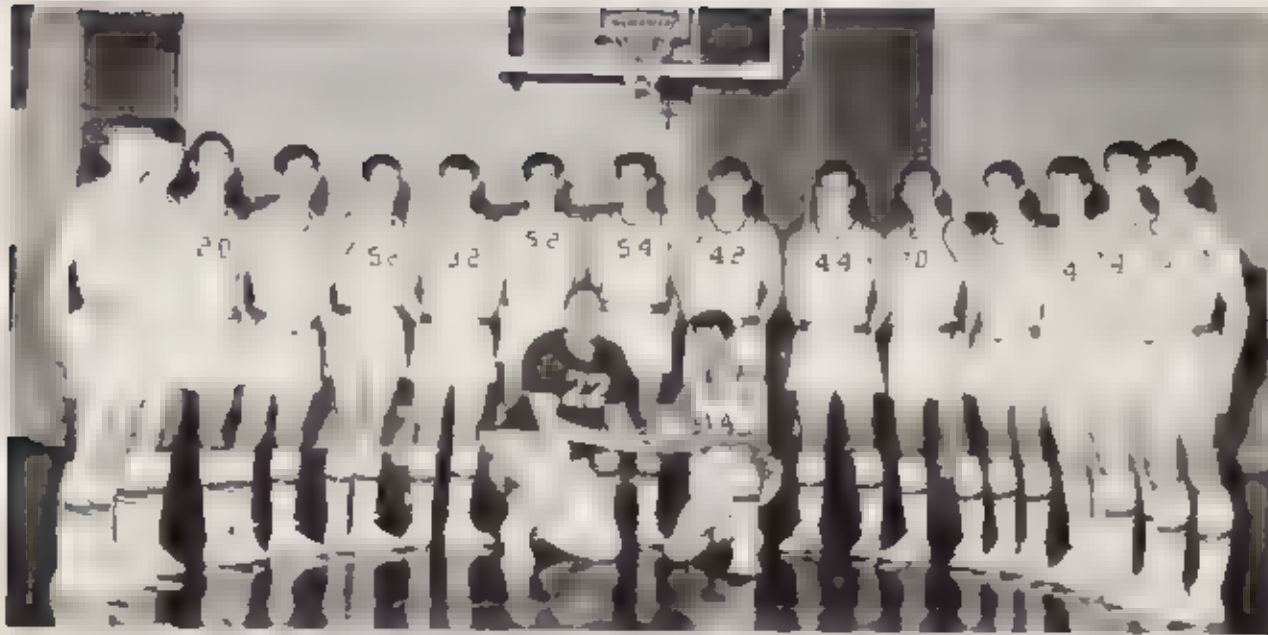
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2nd

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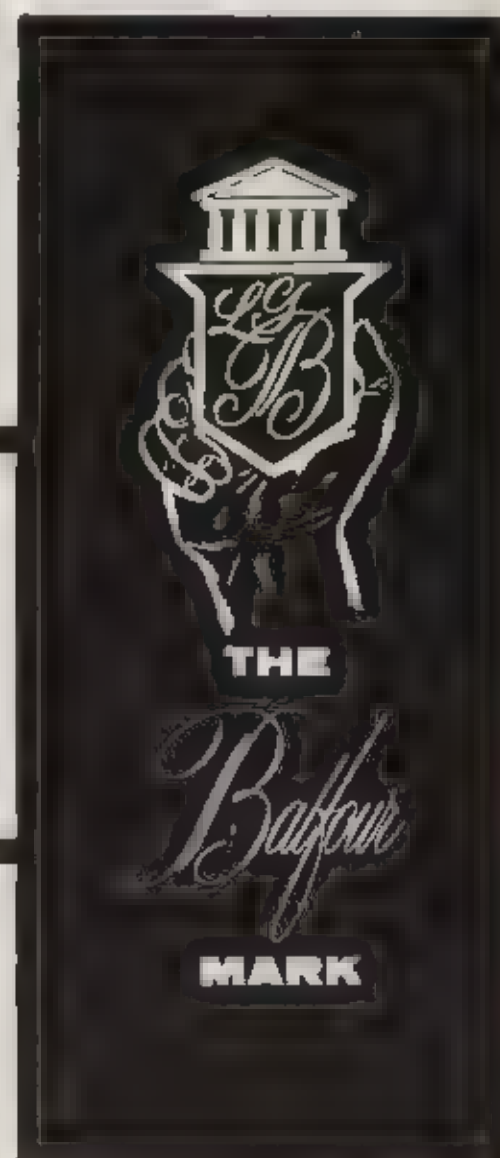
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been great fun sitting next  
to you in Girls Choir. I hope  
you always stay as nice & sweet  
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It's been a lot of fun  
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